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COOLIDGE SCRAPS HUGHES POLICY

Favors Restricted Inquiry Into German Finances.

AMERICA'S INTEREST DIRECT

Debts of Allies and Germany's Obligations to This Country Regarded by the President as Justifying American Participation in Proposed Inquiry—Senator Johnson Sees "Secret Diplomacy."

Washington, Dec. 12.—President Coolidge approved participation in a restricted inquiry into German finances as proposed by Premier Poincaré of France.

A formal white house statement declared the "direct interest" of the United States as Europe's creditor.

Both Germany's obligations to the United States and the debts of the allied nations, totaling together nearly \$8,000,000,000, are regarded by the president as justifying American participation in the proposed inquiries.

The white house statement, in effect, scrapped Secretary of State Hughes' requirement that the inquiry be inclusive. It also ignores the Hughes-Harding policy of declining to consider German finances as related to debts owed to the United States by the allies.

This move is the boldest yet made by President Coolidge, indicating the course of American foreign policy. It followed immediately the Lenroo resolution for participation in a world court, now admitted to be an administration measure.

The president's measure for participation in the proposed financial inquiry would deprive the senate of its constitutional prerogatives in such inquiry. Actually, the experts will be selected as a result of a thorough understanding between Mr. Coolidge and Mr. Hughes on the one hand and the European governments concerned on the other.

Members of the senate were obviously disturbed at the action of the president in arranging for indirect American representation on the proposed committees of inquiry. Attention was called not only to the reservation on the German treaty, but also to a provision in the deficiency bill of 1923, to the effect that "hereafter the executive shall not extend or accept any invitation to participate in any conference, congress or the like unless specifically authorized by congress to do so."

SEES "SECRET" DIPLOMACY

Senator Johnson Comments on President Coolidge's Statement.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Commenting on President Coolidge's statement covering American interest in the German financial inquiry, Senator Hiram Johnson said:

"Reading the carefully phrased sentences it is rather difficult to understand just what is sought of our government or what the administration wishes to do. The old familiar appeal, ever made for our entry into the league—the appeal to our pockets—appears again now in recalling our interest as a creditor.

"But what are we to do? Are we to furnish a mere arithmetic to add, subtract, multiply and divide, or are we, as Premier Lloyd George suggested while here, to fix certain definite sums and then enforce their collection?"

"The American people could better decide what this government should do if fully informed of all the communications and all the facts. Why not tell them? We have had enough of secret diplomacy."

Lowden at White House.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Former Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois called at the white house at the request of President Coolidge. Governor Lowden refused to discuss his visit. He said the demand for Mr. Coolidge was fairly strong in Illinois. He said the same about the Johnson sentiment. When asked whether he would be a candidate himself, Lowden replied that he had seen his name mentioned lately, but it had been without his solicitation.

Offered \$275,000 For Hornsby.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Wilbert Robinson, manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, announced to those assembled at the major league meetings here that he had offered \$275,000 for the services of Roger Hornsby, star infielder of the St. Louis Cardinals, and that his proposition had been turned down by the Cardinal owners. The price in question was the largest ever quoted on the services of a ball player.

MRS. ANNA M. LOWE

Minnesota's Only Woman Sheriff Resides at Slayton.



TO USE BROWN COAL

German Scientists Hope to Revolutionize Industry.

Berlin, Dec. 12.—German brains, it is announced, have evolved a new chemical process which promises to revolutionize industry and make Germany independent of French control. The process consists in converting brown coal, or lignite, into coke, making it available for smelting iron ore.

The significance of this process is that while France through the seizure of the Ruhr has practically stripped Germany of the coal on which Germany was built, there remains in the center of Germany, just west of Berlin, enormous brown coal deposits, which now feed the rejuvenated German industry. The new process is considered such a great success that further gigantic projects are already being planned. It means nothing less than the transplantation of the German iron and steel industry, now concentrated in the Ruhr, to the brown coal fields in the center of Germany.

The project would create a new industrial arsenal on which the military could lean in place of that industrial arsenal which France seized in the Ruhr. At the same time it would involve an industrial migration, which would be without precedent in the world's history. This new industry would utilize the Swedish ore shipped from the north in a direct line through the ports of Sweden and Hamburg and the electric power brought up from the south from huge water power works already started in the Bavarian Alps.

SLAYER TO BE TRIED FOR HIS SANITY

Will Face First Degree Murder Charge If Sane.

Milwaukee, Dec. 12.—E. Ray Tompkins, self-confessed wife slayer, was arraigned before Judge A. C. Backus. Tompkins, a former normal school instructor, was arrested Saturday when he confessed he had decapitated his wife and hid the body on the shores of Lake Michigan, where it was found.

When Tompkins was led to the courtroom from the jail a throng of men and women crowded about him. The women appeared particularly interested in the prisoner. Tompkins was surly. He did not look up as he made his way beside the deputies through the mass of humanity.

Judge Backus ordered that Tompkins be tried for his sanity before any further steps were taken. If found insane he would be committed to a state asylum. If sane a charge of first degree murder will be placed against him. Under the Wisconsin law, murder is not a crime punishable by death.

Tompkins' father, S. A. Tompkins of Bloomington, Ill., had a conference with his son in the courtroom.

Greb Denies Statement.

New York, Dec. 12.—The New York boxing commission is expected to summon Harry Greb to answer for statements accredited to him after his fight with Gene Tunney that the judges were fixed for him to lose. Greb subsequently denied having made such statements, but it is thought likely that the commission will have him explain, as the body controls the referees and judges of fights.

CUTS PLANNED ALL ALONG LINE

Tax Reduction Legislation Will Be Pressed.

HEARINGS BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Ways and Means Committee's Program Embraces Consideration of Tax Exempt Securities Resolution, the General Tax Reduction Bill and Soldier Bonus Measure, in the Order Named.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Definite steps were taken by the Republican members of the house ways and means committee to press tax reduction legislation with all possible speed.

Sentiment at the meeting was declared to have been virtually unanimous that the rates in the existing revenue law should be cut all along the line to the lowest possible points consistent with the government's revenue needs.

A committee consisting of Chairman Green, Representatives Hawley of Oregon and Treadway of Massachusetts was appointed to confer with Secretary of the Treasury Mellon on the details of his plan, which it is proposed to follow as closely as possible.

The committee wants to arrange for the appearance of treasury officials at public hearings and to obtain the great mass of data and other information that will be necessary in the drafting of the legislation. Secretary Mellon probably will be the first witness if he desires to appear in person. Hearings will begin next week.

The program of the ways and means committee will be disposed of in the following order: First, joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment to end the issuance of non-taxable securities by the federal, state, county and municipal governments; second, general tax reduction bill; third, soldier bonus measure.

Little or no delay is anticipated on the tax exempt securities resolution. It was passed by the house in the last congress, but died in the jam in the senate in the closing days. Members think they can dispose of this part of the program so quickly as not to delay the tax cuts.

The purpose of not rushing out the bonus is said to be to afford the representatives and senators ample opportunity to make up their minds definitely as to what should be done.

Chairman Green announced that the proposed income tax reductions will be made retroactive to Jan. 1, 1924, which is the beginning of the calendar year. Taxes on incomes during 1924 will be paid in 1925, returns being made March 15, 1925. Excise, or the so-called nuisance taxes on theater tickets, telegraph and telephone messages, etc., however, would become effective immediately upon the president signing the act, Chairman Green said.

OFFICIAL REPORT MADE

Operations of the Federal Prohibition Director in Ohio.

Columbus, Dec. 12.—Federal Prohibition Director J. E. Russell of Ohio, in an official report on the activities of his department, says:

"During the past two years we have prosecuted cases in almost every county in Ohio, besides making investigations of applications for permits and inspecting and checking the records of approximately 8,000 permittees. This is all incidental to the work of making 4,769 arrests, resulting in 4,184 convictions with total fines, taxes and penalties assessed of \$5,568,736.76. This encompassed the seizure of 345 automobiles and trucks engaged in the transportation of intoxicating liquor valued at \$175,000. In addition 1,117 illicit stills have been seized. Some 40 cars have been seized the past 30 days."

Judge's Life Threatened.

Cincinnati, Dec. 12.—Judge Meredith Yeatman of the municipal court, who has been waging a campaign against bootleggers, verified a report that his life had been threatened. He said he had received a number of anonymous letters promising him harm if he did not desist in his fight against moonshiners.

Neck Broken.

Caldwell, O., Dec. 12.—Charles Reed, 61, farmer, while walking to his home, misjudged a step and fell over a small embankment at the roadside. He died shortly afterwards from a fractured neck.

M. S. HERSHEY

Candymaker Turns Over \$50,000,000 to Industrial School.



DOINGS IN OHIO

Damages Alleged.

Columbus, Dec. 12.—The Neil House company, through its vice president, Charles H. Garish, brought suit for \$100,000 damages in common pleas court against J. H. Gerhardt of Sunbury, Delaware county, Attorney C. S. Druggan and Richard Shafer, Columbus contractor. Company officials say the action for a receiver brought against the Neil House company was for the purpose of depressing the value of the stock of its company and not for redress, which Gerhardt claims he desires.

Strike of High School Students.

Fostoria, O., Dec. 12.—High school students who went on strike here must obtain permits through the local school board to return to school, according to a ruling announced by the board. Practically the entire student body went on strike, which was the culmination of an argument that had grown to serious proportions regarding use of the public school gymnasium by students of a parochial school.

New Klan Organized.

Cleveland, Dec. 12.—A new Cuyahoga county Ku Klux Klan is being organized in Cleveland by members of the old klan, which was suspended Dec. 3. More than 300 members of the old klan were sworn into the new organization, which is recognized by national officers. The old klan got into a row over the financial management of the order.

Retired Banker Dead.

Springfield, O., Dec. 12.—George Krapp, 90, retired banker and merchant, died at his home here after an illness of several months. For more than 20 years he was trustee of the Springfield Savings bank. Mrs. Krapp is critically ill and has not been notified of her husband's death.

Two Firemen Injured.

Dayton, O., Dec. 12.—While fighting a fire at a factory here Captain Martin Clements and Fireman Roy Snyder were seriously burned and shocked by 2,300 volts of electrical current. Both firemen were removed to a hospital, where Captain Clements is said to be in a critical condition.

Thompson Heads Committee.

Cleveland, Dec. 12.—Colonel Carmi Thompson was elected chairman of the permanent Cleveland convention committee that will have charge of all of the Cleveland convention arrangements. Representative Theodore Burton was elected honorary chairman of the committee.

Lineman Killed by Fall.

Columbus, Dec. 12.—Injuries sustained when he fell while engaged in his work proved fatal to Emmett Pierce Cather, 48, a lineman employed at the municipal light plant.

Liquor Boats Blocked.

New York, Dec. 12.—A score of liquor vessels, coming from the Bahamas and other points, have found themselves blocked, at least temporarily, from landing their supplies in quantity by the coast guard cutters, harassing landing parties afloat and dry forces snatching the liquor as soon as it touches the beaches.

Special Traffic Court Planned.

Cincinnati, Dec. 12.—The establishment of a district court for the hearing of automobile traffic violation cases probably will be in operation here soon as a result of the conference called by Mayor Carrel with other city officials and judges of the municipal court.

DEADLOCK MAY BE BROKEN SOON

Senate Republicans See the Election of Cummins.

MAY BE DONE IN TWO WAYS

Switch of Three Votes to Cummins or the Absence of Six Democrats Would Elect Him to the Chairmanship of Interstate Commerce Committee—Many Nominations Must Be Passed Upon.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Three more ballots taken in the senate failed to break the deadlock which has enabled the LaFollette insurgent group to prevent the election of Senator Cummins, choice of the Republicans, to the chairmanship of the important interstate commerce committee.

There were indications, however, that the deadlock might be broken soon and Cummins elected. This may be done in one or two ways, either by a switch of LaFollette votes to Cummins or an arrangement among the Democrats to have sufficient number on their side absent themselves from the senate to enable Cummins to gain a majority. A switch of three votes to Cummins or the absence of six Democrats would elect him to the chairmanship.

Senator Robinson, Democratic leader, denied that any members of his party will "run out" in order to enable Cummins to be elected. Leaders of the LaFollette group also asserted they will stand firm against Cummins until the regular Republicans make up their mind to force Cummins to give up either the chairmanship or the presidency pro tem.

There are a large number of presidential nominations pending before the interstate commerce committee which will have to be acted upon soon whether Cummins is made chairman or not. If Cummins takes the stand that he is entitled to sit as chairman and call the committee together to act on the nominations, a delicate situation might arise, leading to a test as to his authority to act in such a situation.

Old Guard leaders profess to be unfrightened by the situation. They rest upon the senate rule which continues Cummins in the chairmanship, which he held in the last congress, until a successor is elected, and so long as they are able to have no election at all, this means that LaFollette, whom they all fear, can not win the place. The Old Guard would much prefer to have a committee without a chairman than to have LaFollette in command of the committee.

FIRE UNDER CONTROL

Hobson and Hunter Believed to Have Escaped Flames.

Los Angeles, Dec. 12.—While Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, leader of the local narcotic crusade, and Captain Jesse Hunter, head of the district attorney's office investigators, were reported to be lost in the mountains northwest of his city, where various brush fires have been raging, advices from the fire fighting zone near the Sunset and Stough canyons revealed that the disastrous blaze there has been controlled. The news of the quelling of the fire brought certain assurance to officers here that the two missing men are not in danger from the fire, although they were known to be in that vicinity. Hobson and Hunter set out to search for their two 15-year-old sons, who were returned to their homes after having been lost.

Postmaster at Mt. Vernon.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The civil service commission certified to the postmaster general as result of recent examinations the names of the following persons as eligible for appointment to postmaster at Mt. Vernon, O.: Sheridan G. Dowds, Park D. Worley and Leonard H. Kelly.

Auto Lamp Only Clew.

Cincinnati, Dec. 12.—Police are holding an auto lamp as the only clew to the auto which struck William F. Kieble, 55, resulting in his death. Police found the auto lamp at the accident scene.

Reds Purchase Carl Mays.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—The New York American league club turned Carl Mays, veteran pitcher, over to the Cincinnati National league club for \$10,000.

THE WEATHER.

Ohio—Ohio: Colder Thursday night or Friday.

BONUS FIGHT REOPENED

Bills Identical in Text to Be Introduced in Both Houses.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The fight for a soldier bonus was reopened in both houses of congress.

In the senate a bill identical in text to the measure vetoed by the late President Harding was introduced by Senator Curtis of Kansas, administration leader. President Coolidge has declared opposition to passage of a bonus bill. Senator Curtis had the bill referred to the finance committee.

On the house side the Republican members of the veterans' bloc called a caucus, at which time action will be considered looking to a demand upon the ways and means committee that the bonus measure be given priority over tax reductions and other legislation before that committee. Leaders of the bloc also announced that a plan had been agreed upon by Representative John McKenzie (Rep., Ill.) will introduce in the house the same bill as offered by Senator Curtis in the upper branch.

Charged With Murder.

Youngstown, O., Dec. 12.—Ironm Sirbu, local merchant, charged with first degree murder in connection with the slaying of Dr. S. E. Conrad, while the latter was making a raid, was bound over to the grand jury by Judge Jenkins. The court refused to reduce the charge. Vasil Bogdan, also charged with first degree murder, is still missing.

PASSING OF PINKERTON

Wealth of Secrets to Be Buried With Famous Detective.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—When William A. Pinkerton, 77, internationally known detective, is laid to rest here, there will be buried with him a wealth of secrets, which would furnish the writer of detective stories with material for a lifetime.

"The Eye," as Pinkerton was known throughout the world, never talked "shop." His death in a Los Angeles hotel closed the last chapter of a life for which publishers offer fabulous sums. But Pinkerton, his friends declared, will leave no memoirs other than those that have been woven about him during his lifetime.

Pinkerton was a son of Allan P. Pinkerton, founder of the detective agency known throughout the world. He was born in Dundee, Ill., 77 years ago, and attended Notre Dame college. During the Civil war he served under his father, who organized the secret service.

Seven Wives Threatened.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 12.—Seven wives appealed to District Attorney G. A. Shaughnessy for protection. They declared their husbands had threatened to behead them in the same manner that E. Ray Tompkins, former normal school instructor, had slain his wife. Immediate divorce was recommended to some of the women by the district attorney. The husbands were called before the official and the domestic difficulties of the couples ironed out.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.	
Cattle—Top steers, \$11; bulk of sales, \$7.50@9.50; stockers and feeders, \$5.25@6.75; calves, \$9.00@9.50.	
Hogs—Top, \$6.80; bulk of sales, \$6.50@6.75; packing sows, \$6.35@6.50; pigs, \$5.80@6.70.	
Sheep and Lambs—Native spring lambs, \$11.50@13.40; ewes, \$4.75@7.50.	
Receipts—Cattle, 16,000; hogs, 70,000; sheep and lambs, 20,000.	
CLEVELAND, Dec. 12.	
Cattle—Steers, \$4.25@9.75; heifers, \$4.00@7.00; cows, \$1.25@5.25; bulls, \$3.75@5.00; \$5@12.	
Hogs—Yorks, mixed and mediums, \$7; pigs and lights, \$6.80; roughs, \$5.75; stags, \$4.50.	
Sheep and Lambs—Lambs, \$11@13; sheep, \$2@7.	
Receipts—Cattle, 300; hogs, 4,000; sheep and lambs, 1,000.	
PITTSBURGH, Dec. 12.	
Cattle—Steers, \$9.50@10; heifers, \$7.00@8.00; cows, \$5.00@6.25; calves, top, \$12.50.	
Hogs—Heavies, \$7.00@7.15; heavy yorkers and light yorkers, \$7.15@7.20; pigs, \$7.10@7.15.	
Sheep and Lambs—Top sheep, \$7.75; top lambs, \$13.25.	
Receipts—Hogs, 4,000; sheep and lambs, 500.	
CINCINNATI, Dec. 12.	
Cattle—Steers, \$4.00@9.25; heifers, \$3.50@9.75; cows, \$2.50@6.00; calves, \$4@12.	
Hogs—Heavies and packers and butchers, \$7; mediums, \$6.80; light shippers, \$6.50; fat sows, \$5.75@7.75; pigs, \$4.50@5.75; stags, \$4@4.75.	
Sheep and Lambs—Lambs, \$10@12.75; sheep, \$1.75@5.50.	
Receipts—Cattle, 300; hogs, 3,700; sheep and lambs, 75.	
BALTIMORE, Dec. 12.	
Butter—Fancy creamery, \$4.00@4.00; Ohio rolls, \$3.50@3.50; stors packed, 25c.	
Eggs—Ohio firsts, 50@52c.	
Live Poultry—Young chickens, 20@26c; old hens, 20@27c; old roosters, 14@15c.	
BOSTON, Dec. 12.	
Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: Delaine unwashed, 55c; fine unwashed, 48@12c; half blood combing, 55c; three-galths blood combing, 54@55c.	
TOLEDO, Dec. 12.	
Wheat, \$1.10@1.11; corn, 80@81c; oats, 48@50c; clovers, \$13.00.	

CECILE'S MASTER
By ELLIOTT R. GOLDMARK
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BANG! Bang! Bang!

"Ten, 7, 12," sang the marker, and looked with respect at the young girl in front of his firing booth in the amusement park. Not usually did solitary young women show skill such as this. The moving target of outlined ducks is baffling to the ordinary marksman.

"Ten, 7, 12—that's 29. Give you 11 if you take three more shots, lady. Only 35 in three shots and you get that fine china tea set."

Cecile Leslie shook her head. She had already spent 30 cents at the various concessions, and had only 40 cents left for lunch. A dollar doesn't go far at a seaside resort. With a determination to keep carfare and all within that limit, Cecile had started with only that amount in her purse.

"Sure you'll take it." The man leaned over the counter and, in spite of his lazy drawl, showed real interest. Several passers-by had been attracted by the fine shooting and stood watching. Cecile crimsoned with embarrassment. At that moment she felt a tug at her wrist. Her purse was gone.

"My purse," she cried, turning hastily, her face white. The crowd closed in, opened, and then grew thicker in the manner of crowds. But a young man on the edge of the jam had already started in pursuit. Two minutes later he was back, holding by the shoulder a rough-looking little man, who quite nonchalantly drew out Cecile's gray moire bag.

"Guess you got me this time, boss," he said cheerfully.

The crowd parted and the youth who had thus acted the part of providence led his captive before the trembling girl. Cecile clenched her property and seemed about to fall.

"It's all right," the young man was starting to murmur, when a blue uniformed policeman broke through the cordon of spectators and seized the thief.

"Have to prefer charges, lady," he said. "Better come along with me now. Case won't come up now, but you'd better—"

"This lady does not wish to prefer charges, officer," spoke up Cecile's unknown protector. "You can reach me at that address."

He handed the man a card, took the girl's arm and drew her through the crowd of curious spectators.

"Now," he said, as he drew out a chair for his charge at one of the little tables near the water and summoned the waiter with a gesture. "You're going to the ferry," he remarked conversationally. One hand seized her shoulder and again the eyes met. Cecile turned crimson, then pale with anger, as she realized the man would do exactly what he had said. Stiffly she turned toward the ferry landing, the unknown by her side.

On the ferry she did not address a word to the attentive squire who, with knit brows, proffered a more comfortable chair, a box of candy and a shine from the young bootblack.

In the little park on the other side she sat calmly down on one of the benches and looked up at her rescuer.

"I certainly shall not show you where I live," she began.

Then she saw that the young man's handsome face was convulsed with mirth, and suddenly the humor of the situation rushed over her. With a shout of laughter she joined him in enjoyment of the situation.

Anyone passing through the square would have thought them insane, but surely Fate smiled quietly at the thought of the future of these two thrown together thus.

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Strictly Out of It.
Ephraim had put on a clean collar and his best coat and was walking majestically up and down the street.
"Aren't you working today, Ephraim?" asked one of his acquaintances.
"No, suh. I'se celebrating' my golden weddin', suh."
"You were married fifty years ago today?"
"Yes, suh."
"Well, why isn't your wife helping you to celebrate it?"
"My present wife, suh," replied Ephraim, with dignity, "ain't got nothin' to do with it. She's de fo'th."
—Exchange.

Hooped Pots and Jack Cade.
In the Middle Ages in England many drinking pots were made with hoops so that when two or more persons drank from the same pot or tankard, no one of them should take more than his share, each hoop marking a half, a third or a fourth of the contents of the pot, according to its make.

Too Early.
In some of the luncheon buffets at certain stations, for the reassurance of doubting customers, it is the custom to mark on the shell of a boiled egg the date on which it was laid.
On one occasion a party arrived at a station shortly before midnight and demanded eggs that were laid that day.
"Sorry," answered the attendant, "today's eggs are all gone; but"—here he glanced at the clock, which pointed to a quarter to twelve—"if you'd not mind the date, I could give you some of tomorrow's."

The Loser's End.
"Seems to me," asserted the fretful man, "that we spend entirely too much time preaching success."
"No harm in such a tendency, I hope."
"I don't know so much about that. It gives boys lofty ideas about life. We can't all be winners."
"That's all right," said the other man cheerfully. "The loser's end is often worth while."

FIGHTING FOR LEGION BILL

Congressman A. Platt Andrew, Former Lieutenant-Colonel, One of Leaders for Compensation.

Congressman A. Platt Andrew of Gloucester, Mass., will be one of the leaders in the American Legion's campaign to obtain the passage by congress of an adjusted compensation bill.
Educated in Harvard and Princeton universities, Congressman Andrew attained a brilliant reputation as an economist. He served as director of the mint under President Taft and before he left Washington had become an assistant secretary of the treasury. With the outbreak of the World war, he became interested in the allied cause, raised a fleet of automobile ambulances and took it to the Belgian front. He drove a car for three

Power in Nobility.
Be noble, and it is well with you. The storms of life will not frighten you. Safe and serene, you shall wander through the paths of night, and misfortune itself can only exalt the majesty of your soul.—From Rae's "Life of Beethoven."

First National Bank.
The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National bank of Circleville, Ohio, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at the office of the First National bank, of Circleville, Ohio, on Tuesday, January 8, 1924, at two o'clock P. M.

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A. Platt Andrew.

months, making trips to the front every night. The constant appeal Congressman Andrew made to Americans for establishment of ambulance sections resulted in the creation of the American Field Service with headquarters at Neuilly. Congressman Andrew was named in charge of the organization.

When Americans left the ambulance service to join the army, Andrew formed a number of "cannon sections" to deliver ammunition. Entering the army, he received the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

Named as first commander of the Gloucester post of the American Legion, Andrew obtained permission of the city government to utilize the old town hall for a Legion home, and made it a museum of the great war. He led a movement to commemorate the war dead of Gloucester with a Joan of Arc monument, which is unique in that the base is formed of stones taken from every building in France sacred to the memory of the patriotic girl. He also served as first vice commander of the Massachusetts department in 1919-1920.

Congressman Andrew has been of vital assistance to the Legion in its fight for compensation. In defense of this measure he has said:

"The measure before the house offers to our veterans not only a just and fair, if long overdue reward, but also a reward that has been framed upon the principles of helping the beneficiaries to help themselves, which is the guiding principle of all intelligent and humane legislation."

LEGION IS AFTER PROMOTERS

Georgia Organization Now Boasts Commission to Put Lid on Fake Bouts.

Boxing and wrestling promoters who have been using the name of the American Legion posts to gain attendance for "shady" meets and bouts, will be at a disadvantage in Georgia, because of the establishment of a Legion boxing commission.

Unscrupulous promoters often induce the Legion men to stage a bout under their auspices, fighters failing to show up, or promoters mulcting the public of their money by fake bouts, leaving the Legion men to face deficits and an unenviable reputation in the community.

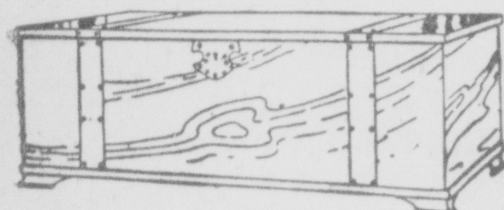
At the last department convention of the Legion, a commission was authorized to supervise all bouts held by the Legion posts in the state. This body, composed of three Legionnaires, will operate on plans similar to those established by laws in various states.

A registry fee will be charged to each boxer participating and a license exacted for each show. Boxing promoters will be required to pay annually a fee several times that charged the fighters. A representative of the commission will be present at every bout sponsored by the Legion to adjudicate contests among posts, promoters and fighters.

Oh, Those Women.

He had just returned from the prize fight and was all excited over it.
"It was a great scrap, Mary," he said to his wife. "and Red Mike took the count."
"Yes?" she inquired disinterestedly.
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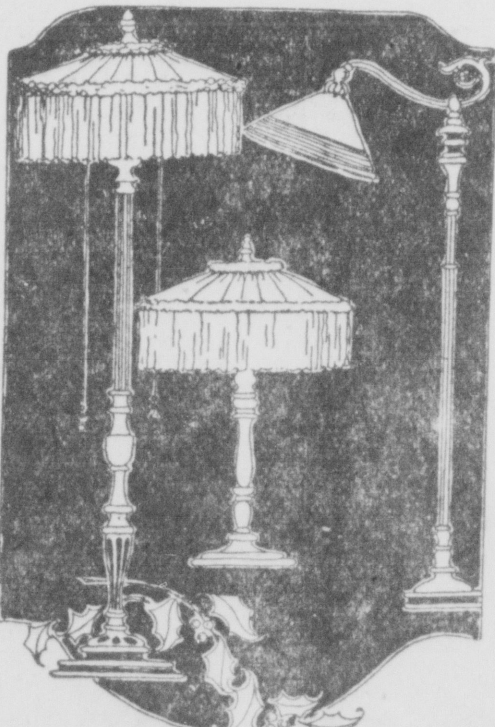
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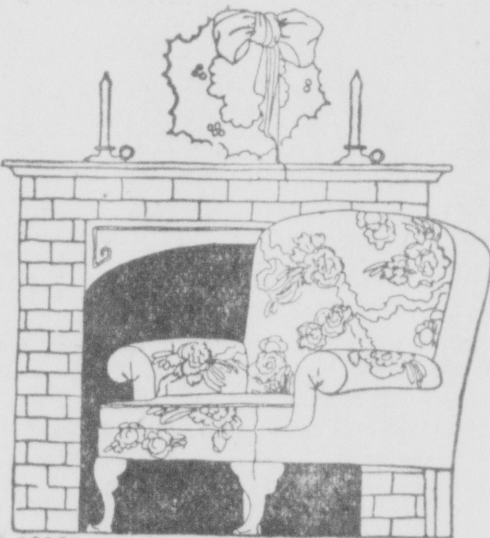
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WOMEN'S CLUB

Mrs. Claus, of Pudding Lane, Makes Visit—Good Program Rendered.

The Business and Professional Women's club held a very enthusiastic and enjoyable meeting Tuesday evening in the Post room, Memorial hall.

Congratulations and Christmas greetings were sent to the club by the Chamber of Commerce, Public Library, Rotary club and Monday club and were greatly appreciated. A liberal supply of jellies was received and given to the Benevolent association for the Christmas baskets. The club presented its president, Mrs. Ida M. Graham, with a Christmas subscription to the Independent Woman. Eight new members signed the roster and this brought the business meeting to a close.

Following came an interesting program and a lunch served by Mrs. Graham. Those who took part in the program were Mrs. Ray Reid, soloist, and Misses Frances Boecher and Nellie Palm, readings. Miss Phelps gave a talk on the work of the Benevolent Association and Mrs. Graham presented a plea from Mrs. Carrie Patton, probation officers for assistance for the pensioned mothers of the county.

The advent of Mrs. Claus, of Pudding Lane, North Pole, with her faithful Judy and numerous family of dolls, carried out the Yuletide spirit. Mrs. Claus gave a very clever and witty talk on her journey from the Pole. The dolls are of the period of 1880 and will be dressed by the club in the style of that period, which was neither too long nor too short. These dolls will be for sale and will be on display in the window of Mrs. Graham's shop.

AT THE COURT HOUSE

Suit For Divorce.

Harry Shaw has filed in probate court a suit for divorce from Sophia Shaw. The couple was married at Josephville, Missouri, April 25, 1898 and are the parents of a grown daughter and son. She separated from her husband about a year ago. He charges her with gross neglect. Fred P. Griner represents the plaintiff.

Injunction Suit.

George W. Geesling has filed a suit in injunction in common pleas court against The Commercial Investment & Trust company of New York and Robert J. Young, sheriff of Pickaway county to restrain the company and the sheriff from levying and selling his property. It seems that the defendants claim that the plaintiff was a partner in a firm that owes the defendant which plaintiff denies, and they are trying to levy on his property in this county. A temporary restraining order was issued. C. A. Weldon represents the plaintiff.

Marriage License.

Bert Williamson, 39, farmer, Ross county, and Lena Downing, 32 Williamsport. Mayor H. C. Renick.

In Memoriam.

Editor Union-Herald:—William Franklin, second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Helvering, was born at Clearcreek, Fairfield county, Ohio, March 5, 1915. After a brief illness he passed away December 6, 1923, aged eight years, nine months and one day.

William leaves to mourn their loss father, mother, brother, sister, great-grandparents and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held at Brown's chapel, Saturday, December 8.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors and pastor for their kindness during our bereavement in the loss of our beloved son.

The Parents.

Gold Didn't Materialize.

A Chicago inventor named Brice, in 1897, was seeking a patent on a process for making gold from a mixture of antimony, iron and sulphur. The patent office would not grant it without proof that the idea had merit, and the then secretary of the treasury was persuaded to direct the mint bureau to try the thing out. There must have been something wrong about the methods of the treasury laboratory, for not a particle of gold or silver was obtained.

\$16.50.

Record price for Ford Storage Battery.

Detroit, Michigan. All Ford dealers are instructed to put into effect immediately a reduced price of \$16.50 for the Ford 13 plate storage battery. This battery can be used in any of the automobiles using a six volt battery and this price is phenomenal in storage battery manufacture and is due no doubt to quantity production.

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EYE ON MEXICO

Europe to Urge American Intervention if Rebels Win.

Paris, Dec. 12.—Pressure will be brought by Europe on the United States to intervene in Mexico if the revolution gains the upper hand, according to private diplomatic advice. French officials recall that they granted recognition to the Obregon government because they wished to consolidate America's action in recognizing Mexico. But France will refuse to recognize any government overthrowing President Obregon by force. Britain and France are watching the situation anxiously. The greatest part of Mexico's funds for railway bonds have been raised in London and Paris for 15 years, and the holders have not drawn dividends.

Prisoners Spirited Away.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 12.—T. J. Kersey, police chief at Hazlehurst, Ga., was shot and killed when he attempted to arrest Warren Waters, wanted by Hazlehurst authorities for breaking a prison parole. Bob Johnson and James Cope were said to have been with Waters when the police officer fell with two bullet wounds. The three men were arrested and later spirited away by the officials to avert an attack by a mob.

Kellogg Nomination Confirmed.

Washington, Dec. 12.—By a vote of 75 to 9, the senate, in executive session, passed favorably upon the nomination of former Senator Kellogg to be ambassador to England. The fight against Kellogg was led by Senators Magnus Johnson and Henrik Shipstead, Farmer-Laborites from Minnesota, Kellogg's home state.

Highly-Prized Coin.

The half cent of 1796 is the rarest of all United States copper coins. According to a treatise on these obsolete coins recently published by a Chicago numismatist, the half cent of 1796, in exemplary condition, has brought as much as \$400 at a public auction sale.

AMUSEMENTS

Undoubtedly the greatest picture in which Jackie Coogan has been permitted to use his remarkable genius is Metro's "Long Live the King," now the feature at the Met theater. Last night its premier in this city was attended by a great and appreciative audience which thru the evening continued to give ample evidence of the tremendous popularity which Jackie now has at his command. In fairness to him it is such beautiful and impressive productions as "Long Live the King" that enhance his popularity and make him more beloved.



JACKIE COOGAN

The story of "Long Live the King" is a familiar one to readers of American books. It is a screen version of the famous novel of the same name written several years ago by Mary Roberts Rinehart and which attained a tremendous sale. It hinges around the romantic adventures of the little Crown Prince of Lavonia—a country threatened at every turn by revolution and anarchy. It is a highly exciting romance and the producers have not only lost none of the fascination of the novel, but have added to its delight by giving it a wonderfully beautiful presentation.

Jackie is surrounded by a splendid cast. C. Gardner Sullivan and Eve Unsell prepared the script for Jackie and the picture was directed by brilliant Victor Schertzinger. The are direction of J. J. Hughes shows genius in artistic conceptions. Frank Good and Robt Martin were at the camera and the picture was produced under the direction of Jack Coogan Sr.

ELKS LODGE

Fifteen Candidates Initiated — Oyster Supper Served to Two Hundred.

Circleville Order of Elks initiated one of the largest classes they have had this year when Tuesday evening fifteen candidates were given the Royal Diadem degree and are now carrying the antlers.

The lodge was inspected by District Deputy Meyer, of Columbus. Following the initiation and inspection, the guests were regaled with a fried oyster supper and all the trimmings. Covers were laid for two hundred guests. Lancaster, Newark and Columbus were represented at the feast and initiation.

The district deputy reports Circleville lodge in fine condition.

* SOCIAL CALENDAR *

Mrs. Wilson F. Cellar attended a reception given by Mrs. E. J. Richardson at Westerville today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rudisill delightfully entertained to a handsomely appointed dinner Sunday, December 9, at their beautiful country home in Pickaway township. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. John E. Dresbach and daughters, Mary and Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. George and Mrs. Lina Dresbach, of Pickaway township and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Karshner and daughter, Mary, of Tarlton. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. John Eitel of 517 North Pickaway street, entertained to dinner Sunday the following: Mr. and Mrs. George Eitel and sons, Walter and George Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Young and children, Nellie, Theodore, Harold and Bernard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eccord and children, Ruth and Walter Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Eitel and daughter, Eleanor, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bumgarner, Mrs. O. E. Bumgarner and granddaughters, Grace and Mary, John Eitel, Austin Hoover and Charles Eitel and Mrs. John Eitel.

December 19, the December meeting of the Darbyville W. C. T. U. will be held with Mrs. Joseph McKinley at 1:30 o'clock; program, Social and Personal Purity, also paper on National W. C. T. U. Foundation Day celebrated at Cleveland November 18. We hope every member will be present and welcome visitors.

Pacific Coast Squabble Settled. Chicago, Dec. 12.—Harry Williams was recognized as the president of the Pacific Coast league by the board of arbitration trying the feud between Williams and McCarthy. William Wrigley, Jr., owner of the Cubs, was reprimanded for attempting to syndicate baseball in connection with his alleged purchase of the Seattle club, over which the feud started.

Boy Dies of Injuries.

Cleveland, Dec. 12.—Martin Marn, 14, died from injuries suffered when the auto in which the boy was riding was crowded into another machine. The autoist that caused the accident fled.

HERE AND THERE

Dr. Robert Adcox, retired physician, alleged to have been involved in the fake medical diploma mill expose in Missouri, Connecticut, Arkansas and other states, was indicted by a grand jury at St. Louis on charges of bribery.

Two enormous geysers within the crater of Kilauea volcano, Hawaii, are spouting about 2,000,000 cubic feet of molten lava every hour.

Four convicts escaped from the Kansas state prison at Lansing by scaling the walls.

Two women and three men, alleged by federal operatives to be members of a band of counterfeiters that passed more than \$100,000 in spurious currency in Chicago and vicinity in the last few weeks, were arrested at Chicago.

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E. L. Hoffman, manager of the Pickaway Live Stock company spent Monday, December 10, at the Pittsburgh live stock yards, selling five car loads of cattle and hogs. During the previous week the live stock company shipped eleven car loads of cattle and hogs to market, making the largest record for any one week since the cooperative shipping of live stock started. Shipments were made from Derby, Mt. Sterling, Atlanta, Kinderhook and Circleville.

A total of 370,000 pounds of live stock were shipped cooperatively during the month of November.

NEW MYKRANTZ MANAGER.

M. L. Plummer, of Sardinia, has been selected to take charge of the Mykrantz drug store in this city. The former manager, Merritt Dennis, was transferred to Springfield.

Mr. Plummer has been in the drug business twenty-eight years and has been a registered pharmacist twenty-two years. He formerly conducted a drug store at Winchester and later at Sardinia. He is married and has one son.

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CLOTHING CLUBS

Women From Nine Townships Met at Farm Bureau Demonstration.

Women from nine townships of Pickaway county were present at a demonstration at the Farm Bureau office given by Edna Callahan, clothing specialist from the extension department of the Ohio State university. The first part of their work consisted of the making of a one piece cotton dress. The women who are taking this work will in turn hold classes in their townships for the benefit of others who are interested.

MRS. COLEMAN DEAD.

Mrs. John Coleman, who was injured in the gas explosion which wrecked a four family apartment house at 886 North Fourth street Columbus, last Friday afternoon, died Tuesday morning at 5:15 o'clock at the University hospital, as a result of her injuries.

Mrs. Coleman is survived by a daughter, Donna, two years of age. The deceased was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Fred Martin, of this city.

PARENT-TEACHER MEETING.

The Parent-Teacher association of the high school will meet Thursday evening at the high school auditorium at 7 o'clock. Watch paper for program.

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS.

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Subject Wednesday night, at 7:30: "A Total Eclipse in Hill's Auditorium."

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George W. Weaver, formerly of this city died Saturday evening, December 8, at St. Francis hospital, Columbus. His death was due to dropsy and heart failure. The deceased was a son of George W. and Catharine Hawks Weaver and was born in this city June 2, 1862. Two sisters and one brother survive. They are Mrs. W. H. P. Fisher, of Landsdowne, Pennsylvania; Mrs. H. W. Thomas of San Diego, California, and Boston F. Weaver, of Baltimore, Maryland.

The remains were brought to this city today and were interred in Forest cemetery. The commitment services were in charge of Circleville aerie, No. 685, Fraternal order of Eagles.

PERSONALS

J. R. Wilson was a business visitor in Columbus today.

Mrs. L. E. Hill and Miss Rose Leist spent the day in Columbus.

Mrs. Arthur Burget and Mrs. George S. Dresbach spent the day in Columbus.

Mrs. Edward Shanton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Niles, J. R. Wilson, H. E. Mowery, R. M. Pierce and A. J. Thorpe were business visitors in Columbus today.

Miss Mary Dawson, a student at the Columbus Business college Columbus, accompanied home Mrs. Charles Goeller, who has been visiting in Detroit, Michigan.

Mrs. Minnie Debolt, Miss Mary Lat house, Mrs. C. D. Closson, Mrs. S. T. Rife, Misses Abbe Clarke, Mrs. G. E. Thornton, Miss Sarah Lynch and Mrs. Ernest May spent the day in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright and daughter, Miss Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Clara Hanley Miss Hazel Dumm and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dumm of near Haysville and Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Grove of Ashville, attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Samuel Houdyshell, at Logan Tuesday.

W. C. T. U.

Of Darbyville Union Met With Mrs. Cliff Carpenter and Mrs. John J. Renick.

The November meeting of the Darbyville W. C. T. U. was held with Mrs. Cliff Carpenter, Mrs. John Renick assisting hostess. The members were indeed glad to welcome so many visitors and tried to get them to become members.

The program was "Prohibition" and several good papers were read and enjoyed and our president brought the Union Signals so the members could see the picture of the crusaders at the great national meeting in September; also the pictures of the early work of the crusaders when they went bravely to the saloons to sing and pray and plead with them not to continue to sell alcohol, because of the harm to the many who had an appetite for strong drink, also other pictures of interest. We voted to use a part of our prize money to buy jubilee song books for our Union and posters and literature for our schools.

Mrs. Carpenter and Mrs. Renick served refreshments.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL.
A double header basket ball game Friday evening, December 14, at 7:30 o'clock. Opening game of the season. Mt. Sterling Boys and Frankfort girls. Admission 15 and 25 cents. 12dec43.

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Thursday, January 3, 1924

for the purchase of serial bonds of said Circleville City School District in the sum of Fifteen Thousand Two Hundred Forty Dollars and Fifty Three cents (\$15,244.53) dated December first, 1923, the maximum maturity of said bonds being seven (7) years and (8) months. Said bonds are numbered consecutively from one (1) to sixteen (16) inclusive. Bonds Nos. one (1) to fifteen inclusive (15) are each in the denomination of One Thousand Dollars (\$1000.00) and Bond No. sixteen (16) is of the denomination of \$244.53. Said bonds shall become due and payable as follows:

Bond No. 1, February 1st, 1924.
Bond No. 2, August 1st, 1924.
Bond No. 3, February 1st, 1925.
Bond No. 4, August 1st, 1925.
Bond No. 5, February 1st, 1926.
Bond No. 6, August 1st, 1926.
Bond No. 7, February 1st, 1927.
Bond No. 8, August 1st, 1927.
Bond No. 9, February 1st, 1928.
Bond No. 10, August 1st, 1928.
Bond No. 11, February 1st, 1929.
Bond No. 12, August 1st, 1929.
Bond No. 13, February 1st, 1930.
Bond No. 14, August 1st, 1930.
Bond No. 15, February 1st, 1931.
Bond No. 16, of the value of \$244.53, August 1st, 1931.

Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five and one half per cent per annum (5½%) payable semi-annually on the last days of February and August of each year, commencing February 1st, 1924, as evidenced by attached coupons.

Said bonds are issued under the authority of House Bill No. 599, passed April 6, 1923, effective July 26, 1923, amending Section 5655 and repealing Section 5656 of the General Code and other Sections of the G. C. of Ohio, and also of Resolution passed by the Board of Education of said Circleville, Ohio, City School District on the 7th day of September, 1923.

Said bonds will be sold to the highest bidder for not less than par and accrued interest, but the Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids. All bids must be sealed and state the number of bonds bid for, gross amount of premium and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in not less than two per cent (2%) on some solvent bank, payable to the said Circleville City School District, Pickaway County, Ohio, on condition that if the bid is accepted, the bidder will pay for such bonds bid for, said check to be taken by said board if said bid is accepted, as a guarantee of the bidder complying with the terms of said sale; otherwise the check to be returned to the bidder.

By order of the Board of Education of Circleville City School District, Pickaway County, Ohio.

J. R. NOECKER, Clerk.
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NOTICE
OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

A meeting of the stockholders of The Grand Opera House Company will be held at the office of said Company on

January 3, 1924,

at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering a resolution for the dissolution of said corporation and the surrender of its corporate authority and franchises.

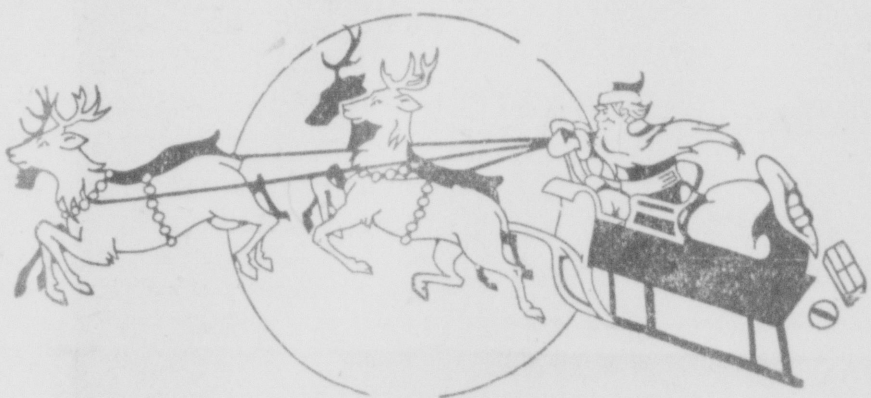
Circleville, Ohio, December 10, 1923.

WALKER BAUGHMAN,
IDA BAUGHMAN
JAMES BAUGHMAN
EDNA COOPER
PROCTOR BAUGHMAN
Directors.
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THE CHRISTMAS STORE

Christmas Suggestions

Bath Robes and Smoking Jackets
Make a fine Christmas present, we have a swell line of them.



Stetson Hats
We have a swell line of Stetson, Velour and Stiff Hats for Christmas presents.

Bates' Street Shirt

We have the finest line of Shirts this season we have ever offered at any time and at good prices from \$2.00 up. All put up in fancy boxes.

Silk and Knitted Neckwear

The finest assortment we could find. Prices are as follows:

Silk Four-in-Hand in fancy boxes	- - -	75c to \$4.00
Silk Knitted Four-in-Hand in fancy boxes	- - -	50c to \$4.00
Fancy Shield Tucks Four-in-Hand, in fancy boxes	- - -	50c to \$1.00
Bows, all styles	- - -	25c to 50c
Club Ties	- - -	50 to \$1.00

Underwear
In union or two piece, in Wool or Cotton and at all prices.

Silk & Wool Mufflers
We have a fine line of Swiss Silk; also a fine line of Wool. Made in Scotland and the finest made.

Interwoven Socks
A fine line of Wool; also Silk and Wool and All Silk; also a good line of Lisle.

"THE STORE WITH QUALITY"

Caddy Miller's Hat Shop

How Superstitions Arose.
The Friday superstition arose because the crucifixion is supposed to have taken place on that day. Some persons think it is unlucky to spill salt, because Judas Iscariot seems to be spilling it in Da Vinci's picture. Others think that it is because salt is a symbol of incorruptibility, and spilling it is, therefore, a sign of broken friendships and general upsets.

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Amortization
Government Supervision.
\$1,000 to \$50,000
Prompt Service No Publicity
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Used Car Bargains

1--1920 Hupmobile Touring
2--1917 Buick Six Tourings
1--1918 Franklin Coupe
1--1922 Buick Roadster
1--1919 Chalmers Touring
1--1921 Ford Coupe
1--1922 Ford Coupe
1--1922 Ford Touring
1--1922 Chevrolet Roadster
1--1921 Nash Coupe

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"The Firm That Makes Good Its Word."
CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO.

Old Age Greatest in Serbia.
Serbia is the country of centenarians. One man in every 2,600 reaches 100 years. Ireland ranks next, with one in every 8,130. Out of every 43,300 Spaniards one is a centenarian. In England, Scotland and Wales one in 177,000; in France one in 180,750 and Switzerland, with all its reputed healthfulness, seems not to possess one.

**INSURANCE ABSORBS
THE SHOCKS**
Better be Safe Than Sorry
S. G. RADER
Life, Accident and
Liability Insurance.

LEGAL NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the stock holders of the Pythian Castle Association company at the K. of P. hall in the city of Circleville, Ohio, on
Monday, January 7, 1924,
at 8:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year.

Elgar Barrere, President.
J. B. Majors, Secretary.
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HAT CLEANING PLACE

Get out your Soft or Stiff Hat and let us clean and reblock it.
Our system excels. Satisfaction guaranteed. Our price is right.
Don't wait! Bring yours in before the rush.
Also first class shine for ladies and gentlemen.

Apostolos & Alexander,
108 South Court Street.

Read These Prices.

	Cwt.	Ton.
Wheat Bran	\$2 15	40 00
Middlings	2 25	42 00
Corn Bran	2 50	49 00
Corn & Oat Chop	2 50	45 00
Molasses Chop	2 50	48 00
Tankage 60%	3 75	70 00
Meat Scraps	4 50	85 00
Scratch Feed	2 75	53 00
Cracked Corn	2 50	48 00
Oyster Shell	1 50	25 00
Oil Meal	3 25	
Screenings	1 25	
Hay	1 25	
Straw, per bale	65	
Corn, per bushel	80	
Rydes Calf Meal 25 lb.	1 25	
Pomeroy Salt, per bbl.	3 00	
Pomeroy Salt, 100 lb. bag	1 00	

E. E. WOLF.
Telephone 346.

In Memoriam.
Editor Union-Herald:—Charles Morris McClelland, son of Alexander and Minerva Spangler McClelland was born near South Perry, Ohio, March 8, 1856, and departed this life at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Friend, near Troy, Ohio, December 2, 1923, aged 67 years, eight months and 24 days.

He was united in marriage December 25, 1877, to Lenora Hedges. To this union were born seven children, five daughters; Mrs. James Friend, of Troy; Mrs. Earl Bardon, of Detroit, Michigan; Mrs. Daniel Pike of Delaware, Ohio; Mrs. Flora White, of near Circleville and Earl Mildred and two sons, Homer, who was called away November 5, 1911, at the age of 15 years and Claude Vernon, who with the sister, Earl Mildred and his companion have preceded him to the Great Beyond several years.

He leaves to mourn their loss four daughters one step-son, four grandchildren and one sister Mrs. Susannah McDowell, of Columbus.

The deceased was the youngest of a family of eight children. Six brothers, all deceased, and one sister, Mrs. McDowell the last surviving member of the noted and once useful family.

The greater part of his life was spent in Pickaway county but as his declining years were coming on, he made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Daniel Pike of Delaware.

He had recently gone to visit his daughter, Mrs. James Friend, of Troy. He had frequently expressed himself to the writer of the importance of being prepared for the time when we shall be called away, of his trying to be ready for that call to the home beyond; "Therefore, be ye also ready for such an hour as ye think not the Son of Man cometh."

Funeral services were conducted on Monday evening from the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Friend, of Troy. On the following Tuesday at 7 a. m., the bereaved children accompanied the body to Bethany cemetery, east of Tarlton, where it was laid to rest by the side of his wife and children.

The trip was made with the funeral car and automobiles, covering a distance of more than 100 miles, arriving at their destination early in the afternoon.

Those present at the burial were Mr. and Mrs. James Friend, of Troy; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Pike, Delaware; Mrs. Earl Bardon, Detroit, Michigan; Mrs. Susannah McDowell, Mr. John McDowell, Mrs. George Volkwein, Mrs. Fred Lewis and Mrs. Mary Bates, of Columbus; and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Armstrong of Lancaster.

TOY TRACTOR AND PLOW FREE.

These toy tractors and plows are just the thing for a present to little boys. \$1.50 pays for the Dearborn Independent, Henry Ford's magazine, for one year and the tractor and plow are free with each subscription.

R. L. BREHMER.
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POULTRY EXPERTS IN CITY.
Mrs. Harriet Dodson and Mrs. Elizabeth Latimer will be in Circleville for some time, making a survey of the poultry raisers in this vicinity. These ladies have made a special study of poultry culture and are prepared to help poultry raisers on such problems as culling, breeding of moulting hens, in fact all your poultry problems.

While here they will call on all poultry raisers to take up these important problems.

Thru the efforts of the Circleville Produce company it has been made possible for the poultry keepers to get the benefit of the experience of these experts.

They will give a special demonstration on culling poultry Saturday afternoon, December 15, at our store, 152 West Main street. Come and learn to cull your own flocks.

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STOUTSVILLE MILL.

If you want good flour for bread bring your grist and come to the mill and get thirty-eight pounds of flour to the bushel or buy it from your grocers handled by nearly all the groceries in Circleville and country stores. Milled by J. E. Poynter, who made the Laurelville Special for years and as good a miller as there is in central Ohio. Flour tested by the Mid West laboratory, Columbus, and found first class in every respect. Bran and middlings and chop feed in reasonable amounts to farmer and dealers at all times; buyer of grains of all kind and hay and straw. Prices made to meet competition.

WALTER J. GOODMAN.

Odd Sort of Music.
The musical range of a dripping tap is about half an octave. But within the bounds of this major fourth, drops can play the most surprising and varied melodies. You will hear them climbing laboriously up small degrees of sound, only to descend at a single leap to the bottom. More often they wander unaccountably about in varying intervals, familiar or disconcertingly odd. And with the varying pitch the time also varies, but within narrower limits. For the laws of hydrostatics, or whatever other science claims authority over drops, do not allow the dribblings much license either to pause or to quicken the pace of their falling. It is an odd sort of music. One listens to it as one lies in bed, slipping gradually into sleep, with a curious, uneasy emotion.—Aldous Huxley, in "On the Margin."

Maintenance of way and bridge and building employees of Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad have requested wage increases from 11 to 15 cents an hour.

Presents That Will Please

Hurds' Stationery,
Shell, Amber and Ivory Toilet Sets
Traveling Sets, Baby Sets, Military Brushes
Vanity Sets, Houbegant, Palmer, Nylotis,
Djer Kiss, Vantines Incense and Burners,
Perfumes and Toilet Waters, and other
Novelties.
Bill Cases, Hand Bags, Keytainers, Cigars,
Cigarettes, Tobacco, Playing Cards, and
many other gifts that will please.

GEO. H. FICKARDT & CO.
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**Special Prices on Practial
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Here Are a Few, We Have Many Others

Men's Sheep Lined Coats	\$9.00
Men's Ribbed or Fleece Lined Union Suits	1.00
Men's Buff Brushed, Short Coats	3.00
Men's Suits	\$10 to 25
Men's Overcoats	10 to 25
Boys' Suits	5 to 10
Boys' Overcoats	5 to 10

An abundance of Gloves, Shirts, Ties, at Special Low Prices.

MACK PARRETT

Happiest Boy in Pickaway County



Christmas Means a Lot to Him!

You Were Once a Boy Yourself
and You Know Just How This
Boy Must Feel With His First
Christmas Club Check

You naturally can't be happy if you
are pinched for money--so start laying
the foundation for joy and happiness
next December--right now, today!

Encourage your Children in thrift by
opening a Christmas Club account for
each of them--and of course you must
practice what you preach and join
yourself.

**Join Our
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**THE
Third National Bank**
CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO

Which Class Suits You?
Join One or More of the Following Classes and
See How Much You Will Have Next
Christmas

CLASS 1—First Week 1c, second week 2c. Increase each weekly payment 1c and receive in 50 weeks	\$12.75
CLASS 2—First week 2c, second week 4c Increase each weekly payment 2c and receive in 50 weeks	\$25.50
CLASS 3—First week 5c, second week 10c. Increase each weekly payment 5c and receive in 50 weeks	\$63.75
CLASS 4—First week \$2.50, second \$2.45. Decrease each weekly payment 5c and receive in 50 weeks	\$63.75
CLASS 5—Pay 25c straight each week for 50 weeks and receive	\$12.50
CLASS 6—Pay 50c straight each week for 50 weeks and receive	\$25.00
CLASS 7—Pay \$1 straight each week for 50 weeks and receive	\$50.00
CLASS 8—Pay \$2 straight each week for 50 weeks and receive	\$100.00
CLASS 9—Pay \$5 straight each week for 50 weeks and receive	\$250.00
CLASS 10—Pay \$10 straight each w'k for 50 w'ks and receive	\$500.00
CLASS 2000—Pay \$20 straight each w'k for 50 weeks, receive	\$1000.00

SPECIAL CLASS—Join this class by agree-
ing to pay any certain amount each week for
50 weeks, and receive at the end of 50 weeks
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We can assist you in making your purchases if you see our line of

SLEDS	\$1.75 to \$6.50
WAGONS	\$1.75 to \$7.50
AIR RIFLES	\$2.00 to \$4.50
POCKET KNIVES	25c to \$3.00
FLASHLIGHTS	\$1.00 to \$4.00
ROLLER SKATES	\$2.00
ICE SKATES	\$1.00 to \$2.00
TOOL CHESTS	\$6.00 to \$12.00
BASE BALLS	15c to \$2.00
FOOT BALLS	\$1.25 to \$9.00

And many other useful and appropriate gifts. Will be pleased to show you.

Barrere & Nickerson,
CIRCLEVILLE, OHIO.

THE WONDER OF THE AGE

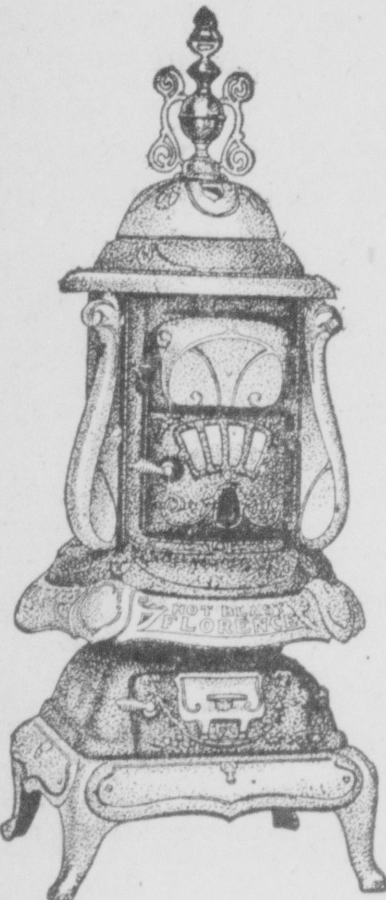
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NO SMOKE! NO SOOT! NO DIRT! NO CLINKERS!
EVERYTHING IS CONSUMED.

At the end of the season's use with soft coal there will be no soot in the pipe or flue

The Zenith of Stove Perfection



The only jointless leg bottom and base with full radiation and large ash pan that is on the market or has ever been made in the history of the stove industry.

The jointless leg bottom and base makes the stove air-tight below the grate, which is the only true fire keeping principle.

It will be as good a fire keeper twenty years hence as it is today.

The Hot Blast Air-Tight Florence will heat twice the space that can be heated by any other stove on earth at one-half the cost.

The only perfect floor heater that is or has ever been made.

All features are patented and no stove manufacturer, dealer or user can copy or use same until

the expiration of the patent without incurring liability for an action for damages.

THE HOT BLAST AIR-TIGHT FLORENCE burns soft coal or slack and all the smoke and gases. No filling up of the stove, pipe or flue with soot. No dirt inside or outside the house. It will burn hard coal and all the gases which escape from the hard coal base burner. It will burn wood and sawdust, wet or dry. It will produce one-half less ashes than any other stove on earth with any kind of fuel and leave no clinkers or half consumed fuel.

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Army Shoe
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The longest wearing shoe in the world.
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130 West Main St.

Opposite Caddy Miller's.

RAT-MITES ATTACK MAN IN SOUTHERN STATES

Outbreaks of Pest Coincident
With Presence of Rodents.

Washington.—Bites from a mite, a known parasite of rats, have proved an annoyance to a great many people in the South. The trouble has been particularly prevalent in certain localities in Texas and Mississippi. In some instances it has been acute, causing the expenditure of much time and money in efforts to combat it, and in certain cases compelling the abandonment of parts of buildings.

Outbreaks of this pest, it has been observed, are coincident with the presence of many rats, and the repression of the mite appears to be essentially a problem in rat control. Department Circular 204, "The Rat Mite Attacking Man," by F. C. Bishopp, entomologist, recently issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, deals with the life history and habits of the mite and the character of its attack on man. It has not yet been shown that the mites carry disease, but their bites are distinctly painful and annoying. Both nymphs and adults attack man freely, crawling and running about over the body, and biting here and there, especially on the upper arms, legs, and around the belt or in other places where there is some constriction of clothing.

In addition to a continuous and energetic warfare against rats, the bulletin recommends the cleaning out of all debris and nests and a thorough spraying with kerosene. On floors a mixture of 1 part anthracene oil with 2 parts kerosene has been used with success to destroy and repel mites for several days. A fine mist spray of gasoline on cabinets, desks and shelves gives temporary relief. Fumigation with hydrocyanic gas is also recommended if done by an expert.

Fresno Has Smallest National Park in World



The smallest national park in the world is located at Fresno, Cal. It is just 36 square feet in area, and one tree that covers the entire roadway is there.

Eels Clog Up Water

Pipes in New London

New London, Conn.—Superintendent Watters and his water department employees went eeling at one o'clock in the morning recently and they got enough to supply a regiment.

From various places in Main, Bank and State streets eels were found packed together in water pipes and traps.

"No water!" was the cry heard on all sides. At each place, instead of water, eels were found in abundance. Fire plugs about the city were flushed and hundreds of eels were ejected into the streets.

Superintendent Watters said that it is strange how they suddenly decided to stop up the water mains. Instead of an eel parking here and there they seemed to march onward in a phalanx and to descend in thousands all about the same time.

Neither does he know of any way to prevent it. A quarter-inch mesh at the reservoir is designed to keep eels and other fish from the mains. Eels get through the mesh when they are small, and when once inside they thrive and grow so large that they cannot get back. When the faucet is opened and the pressure starts the eels are thrust up against the water meters.

Scotch "Bookie" Takes in \$25,000 Each Day

London.—Betting among the thrifty Scotchmen is done on a scale that has shocked members of the house of commons, men who are accustomed to deal with millions of pounds of the government's money every year.

A Glasgow bookmaker admitted to the house committee on betting, appointed to investigate the possibilities of the government placing a tax on horse race betting, that he took in an average of \$25,000 a day, or more than \$8,000,000 a year in bets. This particular bookmaker operates a credit account system in established offices, and his business comes within the law.

Hotel Clerk Wills Big Sum to Fellow Workers

New York.—Arthur H. Fowler, for twenty years clerk and bookkeeper in the Hotel Waldorf-Astoria drug store, died recently and when his will was read it was found that he had left an estate of \$40,000 to forty of his fellow employees.

NOTHING BUT REAL BARGAINS.

22-47 Buick 5 pas. sedan.
22-35 Buick 5 pas. Touring.
1920 6 Cyl. Buick 5 pas. Art Craft top.
1920 6 Cyl. Buick 5 pas. Touring.
1917 6 Cyl. Buick 5 pas. Touring.
1917 4 Cyl. Buick 5 pas. Touring.
1917 4 Cyl. Buick 5 pas. Touring.
1920 8 Cyl. Oldsmobile 4 pas Sport
1920 Ford Touring.
1917 6 Cyl. Hudson 7 pas.
1916 8 Cyl. Cadillac.
1918 Buick Truck Speed Wagon.
4-1915 Reo Touring.
1-1917 Reo Roadster.
1-1916 8 Cyl. Cole Roadster.
Better come in now and get your choice of these fine used cars.

CLIFTON AUTO SALES CO.
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TURKEYS.

Order your Christmas turkeys now from the Circleville Produce Co., 152 West Main street.

C. M. LEIST.
Phones 92 and 1113. 5decddt.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Tuesday, December 18, 1923
AT
1 P. M. at Court House
Circleville, Ohio.

The undersigned, as executor of the estate of Jesse Y. Wilson, deceased, will offer two farms belonging to the estate of said decedent pursuant to the will and to close said estate.

First Tract.

The first tract contains 196 acres and 103 poles, more or less, and is situated two and one-half miles north of Darbyville on the Darbyville and Commercial Point (Genoa road). The soil is excellent and under good state of cultivation, is well tiled and fences good. There is a six room, frame residence, a large barn capable of accommodating 100 head of cattle, 18 head of horses, 18 cows, and a large silo in the center of the barn with a capacity of 400 tons of ensilage.

There is also provision for housing 15 brood sows and mow room for 200 tons of hay and there are three hay carrier tracks in the mow. There is also a smokehouse, coal house, wood house, cow barn, corn cribs, wagon shed and implement shed; also three wind pumps and a tenant house. The land is situated in Muhlenberg and Scioto townships, Pickaway county, Ohio, and is one of the best improved farms in the county.

Second Tract

The second tract contains 58 acres and is situated in Scioto township, Pickaway county, Ohio, 3 1/2 miles north of Darbyville, on the Darbyville and Commercial Point pike. This land is well tiled and well fenced but without buildings; the soil is excellent.

The above lands will be offered separately and then as a whole and sold so as to realize the most money.

Possession given March 1, 1924. Purchaser to take the landlord's share of the wheat crop and to pay taxes due June 20, 1924 and all thereafter.

TERMS:—One-third in cash, one-third in one and one-third in two years from day of sale, deferred payments to be secured by first mortgage on premises sold and to bear interest from day of sale.

For further particulars, see
S. C. Weidinger,
As Executor of the estate of Jesse Y. Wilson, Deceased, Bridge Street, Chillicothe, Ohio.
Barton Walters, Attorney at Law, Circleville, Ohio.
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Bah!
When a woman pulls the wool over a man's eyes you can hardly blame him if he looks sheepish.—Cartoons Magazine.

Gain Living From the Sea.
The Japanese are the only people who have ever undertaken the systematic planting and harvesting of seaweed and other marine vegetation.

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

Due January 1, 1924. May be Redeemed by Depositing Them Here Now. No Red Tape. Mail Them To Us.

We will accept these stamps now, for immediate credit to you. We allow you full face value and then hold them at our expense until the due date. This gives you double interest January 1st.

This saves you time, trouble and government red tape. You obtain immediately a safe reinvestment of your funds at a higher rate and in a more desirable form.

We also solicit you to deposit with us the proceeds of your Treasury Savings Certificates due January 1st. We supply information cheerfully and invite inquiries.

You Will Enjoy Dealing With The Buckeye.

THE BUCKEYE STATE BUILDING & LOAN CO.

22 West Gay Street, Columbus Ohio.

The Big, Safe, 5% \$25,000,000.00 Savings Institution.

GIFT LINGERIE

Princess Slips
Gowns
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Bloomers
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Silk Hose
Handkerchiefs
Beaded Bags
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Mesh Bags
Infant Sets
Greeting Cards
Fancy Neckwear
Gift Boxes
Dolls

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"Buy Your Gifts at
GRAHAM'S"

THE STYLES ARE BEST AND
THE PRICES ALWAYS LESS
HUNDREDS OF POPULAR GIFTS

GIFT NOVELTIES

Bridge Sets
Jeweled Combs
Bracelets
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Desk Sets
Lingerie Clasps
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Playing Cards

We assist in solving the perplexing problems that confront every gift seeker. All gifts artistically wrapped or boxed in holiday gift style.

Graham's Millinery & Corset Shop

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We have a complete line of useful gifts, such as---

Electric Irons
Heaters
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Percolators
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Sew-Ez Motors
Fancy Lamps
Reading Lamps
Boudoir Lamps

Washing Machines

For Christmas give something electrical.

THE OHIO UTILITIES COMPANY

108 North Court St.

Circleville, Ohio



Gift Slippers

For everybody's Christmas. Mother, Daddy, Sister, Brother and Friend will appreciate a pair.

Mack's Shoe Shop

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CARL LAEMMLE

-PRESENTS-

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Final Showing Tonight Long Live the King

WITH

JACKIE COOGAN

Admission-Adults 35c, Children 15c

War Tax Included

Evening Shows 6:45 and 8:45
Doors Open 6:30

-COMING THURSDAY-

AGNES AYRES in "The Heart Raider"
A Paramount Picture

TOYS! TOYS!

Coaster wagons, velocipedes, kiddie cars, dolls, doll carriages, story books games tree ornaments, trains on track mechanical toys, tea sets, chairs, etc., etc. We urge an early selection as Christmas will soon be here.

HAMILTON'S STORE.

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AUTOS COLLIDED.

Professor O. O. Crawford's Ford limousine and one of the trucks of the Joseph Amicon Fruit and Provision company embraced at the alley west of Edisto street on Pinkney Tuesday evening. The front axle and the radius rod of the Ford product were bent and the fenders of the truck were bent up some.

SEED CORN

A Little Care Now May Save Much Trouble and Expense Later.

Corn in the Scioto Valley is this year exceptionally high in moisture and this being kept at a high moisture content by recent rains. In case of a freeze before the corn is thoroly dried out the germ will probably be killed and much trouble will be found in securing good seed next spring.

Farmers of Pickaway county are urged to see that a sufficient amount of corn for seed is put in a place where it can dry out properly and be safe from a freezing spell. A little time spent in looking after the seed corn at once may save considerable bother next spring.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

At the meeting of the Woman's auxiliary of the American Legion held Monday evening the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Amos C. Wilson; first vice president, Mrs. Ina Smith; second vice president, Mrs. Harry G. Stevenson; treasurer, Mrs. Nell Prose; secretary, Mrs. Anna Betz; chaplain, Mrs. Charles S. Gusman; hospital chairman, Mrs. B. F. Yates; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Hazel Alkire.

MRS. EMMETT MORRIS HURT.

Mrs. Emmett Morris was overcome at the office of Prosecuting Attorney Terwilliger Tuesday afternoon while the latter was attending court. When she fell her head struck the corner of a table, cutting a deep gash over the left eye. She was discovered by E. L. Voll, whose tailor shop is across the hall, and Dr. H. D. Jackson was called and attended to her injuries.

MASTER MASONS.

There will be a special communication of Pickaway lodge of Masons Wednesday evening, December 12, at 7 o'clock. Work in the Master Mason degree. The brethren are urged to be present.

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"NIGHT RIDERS

A play entitled "Night Riders" will be given at the Tarlton community house Thursday evening, December 13 at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody welcome. Admission 15 and 25 cents.

11dec3.



IT is a rather serious matter for a person who feels the need of glasses to put off from day to day visiting an optometric specialist who will prescribe correctly for them. We can tell all about your eye wants after a thorough investigation and can assure you that the lenses we will furnish you will exactly meet your visual requirements. Now don't hesitate---Come in and see us.

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"THE GIFT SHOP"

JAMES DOWNS

Lifeless Body of Prominent Farmer Found in His Barn.

The death of James Downs in a barn at his home in Monroe township last Sunday is shrouded in mystery as he seemed to be in good spirits when he ate dinner with his family at noon. After partaking of his noonday repast he told his wife that he was going out to the barn where he had some work to perform. Remaining longer than usual she sent one of the farm hands out to see what detained him. The farm hand, Mr. Bailey, found his employer's shoes and hat on the floor of the barn and later found the dead body of Mr. Downs dangling from the end of a rope tied to a rafter.

Coroner Dunton, of this city, was notified and he telephoned to Nelson Winfough, justice of the peace of Monroe township to view the body and make report. Why Mr. Downs committed the rash deed is unknown. He was a man of jovial disposition and happiness reigned in his home. He was a good farmer and business man. About three weeks ago he was in this city and closed the deal for the purchase of the Longberry farm and he recently sold a farm and made some money in the deal.

Mr. Downs was 69 years of age and is survived by his wife, one son, Chauncey Downs, of Columbus and two daughters, Miss Emma Downs and Louise, wife of John Bailey, who reside near Mt. Sterling.

Of his immediate family four brothers are living. They are George and Charles Downs of near Five Points and Harley and Milt Downs, of near Mt. Sterling.

The funeral services were held from his late home three miles south of Mt. Sterling, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment was in the Darbyville cemetery.

FANCY GOODS.

The stock of crochet, tatting and other fancy goods made by Mrs. A. J. Lyle, Mrs. Fred Donnelly and Mrs. H. O. Pile, which they are showing and offering for sale has been removed to a more central location, the Gussman Cleaning and Dyeing establishment, 124 South Court street.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

The following letters remained uncalled for in the Circleville O. post office for the week ending Monday, 10, 1923.

Male

Jacobs, Samuel.
Poling, Charles.
Sesher, Lamerence.
Harrison, Gilbert.

Female

Hardy, Ruth.
Peabody, Luetta.

In calling for the above letters applicants are requested to ask for date of this list.

Eight dozen barrettes, each different in coloring and setting; 60c up. SENSENBRENNER'S "Watch Shop" 19novd&wif.

DOLL CARRIAGES.

Don't fail to see our line of Reed and Woven Fiber carriages, latest styles and priced from \$3.39 to \$11.75, also English carriages from 98c to \$4.98 that formerly sold at much higher prices; a large assortment to select from.

HAMILTON'S STORE.

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GIFT WATCHES

When other Gifts are forgotten, those who are remembered with a Watch on Christmas Day are receiving daily use and pleasure from their gift.

So why not plan now to give those really dear to you a Watch selected from our splendid showing?

Business Meeting of the

Parent-Teachers' Association.

A business meeting of the Parent-Teacher association will be held in the high school auditorium on Thursday evening, December 13, at 7 o'clock.

Part of the program will be a play put on by the High School Literary society. The music will be furnished by the High School orchestra. All who are interested in the high school pupils and their work are invited to attend.

No admission will be charged or no collection taken. Come. 12dec2.

DIES IN HOSPITAL.

Miss Ollie E. Tootle died at Grant hospital, Columbus, Monday, aged 52 years. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Milton Tootle of near Mt. Sterling. Two brothers, James M. Tootle and Samuel C. Tootle, of near Mt. Sterling, and two sisters, Minnie, wife of James Hatfield and Miss Rhoda Tootle, survive.

The funeral services will be held at Mt. Sterling Thursday at 1 o'clock.

Don't forget the market of the American Legion Saturday at the Smith meat market. 12dec3.

Do not confuse the Red Cross with Anti-Tuberculosis Christmas Seal sale during December.

BASKET BALL

Thursday Evening,

DECEMBER 13

at

8:15 o'clock,

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We have filled these four walls with the finest men's gifts this nation produced so that you can fill the stockings on your list with full confidence that the men who thank you will really mean it.

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32 x 4 1/2	Straight Side	-	-	\$31.00
33 x 4 1/2	Straight Side	-	-	\$31.50
34 x 4 1/2	Straight Side	-	-	\$34.00
33 x 5	Straight Side	-	-	\$34.00
35 x 5	Straight Side	-	-	\$37.00

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COOLIDGE SCRAPS HUGHES POLICY

Favors Restricted Inquiry Into German Finances.

AMERICA'S INTEREST DIRECT

Debts of Allies and Germany's Obligations to This Country Regarded by the President as Justifying American Participation in Proposed Inquiry—Senator Johnson Sees "Secret Diplomacy."

Washington, Dec. 12.—President Coolidge approved participation in a restricted inquiry into German finances as proposed by Premier Poincaré of France.

A formal white house statement declared the "direct interest" of the United States as Europe's creditor.

Both Germany's obligations to the United States and the debts of the allied nations, totaling together nearly \$8,000,000,000, are regarded by the president as justifying American participation in the proposed inquiries. The white house statement, in effect, scrapped Secretary of State Hughes' requirement that the inquiry be inclusive. It also ignores the Hughes-Harding policy of declining to consider German finances as related to debts owed to the United States by the allies.

This move is the boldest yet made by President Coolidge, indicating the course of American foreign policy. It followed immediately the Lennox resolution for participation in a world court, now admitted to be an administration measure.

The president's measure for participation in the proposed financial inquiry would deprive the senate of its constitutional prerogatives in such inquiry. Actually, the experts will be selected as a result of a thorough understanding between Mr. Coolidge and Mr. Hughes on the one hand and the European governments concerned on the other.

Members of the senate were obviously disturbed at the action of the president in arranging for indirect American representation on the proposed committees of inquiry. Attention was called not only to the reservation on the German treaty, but also to a provision in the deficiency bill of 1923, to the effect that "hereafter the executive shall not extend or accept any invitation to participate in any conference, congress or the like unless specifically authorized by congress to do so."

SEES "SECRET" DIPLOMACY

Senator Johnson Comments on President Coolidge's Statement.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Commenting on President Coolidge's statement covering American interest in the German financial inquiry, Senator Hiram Johnson said:

"Reading the carefully phrased sentences it is rather difficult to understand just what is sought of our government or what the administration wishes to do. The old familiar appeal, ever made for our entry into the league—the appeal to our pockets—appears again now in recalling our interest as a creditor."

"But what are we to do? Are we to furnish a mere arithmetician to add, subtract, multiply and divide, or are we, as Premier Lloyd George suggested while here, to fix certain definite sums and then enforce their collection?"

"The American people could better decide what this government should do if fully informed of all the communications and all the facts. Why not tell them? We have had enough of secret diplomacy."

Lowden at White House.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Former Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois called at the white house at the request of President Coolidge. Governor Lowden refused to discuss his visit. He said the demand for Mr. Coolidge was fairly strong in Illinois. He said the same about the Johnson sentiment. When asked whether he would be a candidate himself, Lowden replied that he had seen his name mentioned lately, but it had been without his solicitation.

Offered \$275,000 For Hornsby.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Wilbert Robinson, manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, announced to those assembled at the major league meetings here that he had offered \$275,000 for the services of Roger Hornsby, star infielder of the St. Louis Cardinals, and that his proposition had been turned down by the Cardinal owners. The price in question was the largest ever offered on the services of a ball player.

MRS. ANNA M. LOWE

Minnesota's Only Woman Sheriff Resides at Slayton.



TO USE BROWN COAL

German Scientists Hope to Revolutionize Industry.

Berlin, Dec. 12.—German brains, it is announced, have evolved a new chemical process which promises to revolutionize industry and make Germany independent of French control. The process consists in converting brown coal, or lignite, into coke, making it available for smelting iron ore.

The significance of this process is that while France through the seizure of the Ruhr has practically stripped Germany of the coal on which Germany was built, there remains in the center of Germany, just west of Berlin, enormous brown coal deposits, which now feed the rejuvenated German industry. The new process is considered such a great success that further gigantic projects are already being planned. It means nothing less than the transplantation of the German iron and steel industry, now concentrated in the Ruhr, to the brown coal fields in the center of Germany.

The project would create a new industrial arsenal on which the military could lean in place of that industrial arsenal which France seized in the Ruhr. At the same time it would involve an industrial migration, which would be without precedent in the world's history. This new industry would utilize the Swedish ore shipped from the north in a direct line through the ports of Stettin and Hamburg and the electric power brought up from the south from huge water power works already started in the Bavarian Alps.

SLAYER TO BE TRIED FOR HIS SANITY

Will Face First Degree Murder Charge If Sane.

Milwaukee, Dec. 12.—E. Ray Tompkins, self-confessed wife slayer, was arraigned before Judge A. C. Backus.

Tompkins, a former normal school instructor, was arrested Saturday when he confessed he had decapitated his wife and hid the body on the shores of Lake Michigan, where it was found.

When Tompkins was led to the courtroom from the jail a throng of men and women crowded about him. The women appeared particularly interested in the prisoner. Tompkins was surly. He did not look up, as he made his way beside the deputies through the mass of humanity.

Judge Backus ordered that Tompkins be tried for his sanity before any further steps were taken. If found insane he would be committed to a state asylum. If sane a charge of first degree murder will be placed against him. Under the Wisconsin law, murder is not a crime punishable by death.

Tompkins' father, S. A. Tompkins of Bloomington, Ill., had a conference with his son in the courtroom.

Greb Denies Statement.

New York, Dec. 12.—The New York boxing commission is expected to summon Harry Greb to answer for statements accredited to him after his fight with Gene Tunney that the judges were fixed for him to lose. Greb subsequently denied having made such statements, but it is thought likely that the commission will have him explain, as the body controls the referees and judges of fights.

CUTS PLANNED ALL ALONG LINE

Tax Reduction Legislation Will Be Pressed.

HEARINGS BEGIN NEXT WEEK

Ways and Means Committee's Program Embraces Consideration of Tax Exempt Securities Resolution, the General Tax Reduction Bill and Soldier Bonus Measure, in the Order Named.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Definite steps were taken by the Republican members of the house ways and means committee to press tax reduction legislation with all possible speed.

Sentiment at the meeting was declared to have been virtually unanimous that the rates in the existing revenue law should be cut all along the line to the lowest possible points consistent with the government's revenue needs.

A committee consisting of Chairman Green, Representatives Hawley of Oregon and Treadway of Massachusetts was appointed to confer with Secretary of the Treasury Mellon on the details of his plan, which it is proposed to follow as closely as possible.

The committee wants to arrange for the appearance of treasury officials at public hearings and to obtain the great mass of data and other information that will be necessary in the drafting of the legislation. Secretary Mellon probably will be the first witness if he desires to appear in person. Hearings will begin next week.

The program of the ways and means committee will be disposed of in the following order: First, joint resolution proposing a constitutional amendment to end the issuance of non-taxable securities by the federal, state, county and municipal governments; second, general tax reduction bill; third, soldier bonus measure.

Little or no delay is anticipated on the tax exempt securities resolution. It was passed by the house in the last congress, but died in the jam in the senate in the closing days. Members think they can dispose of this part of the program so quickly as not to delay the tax cuts.

The purpose of not rushing out the bonus is said to be to afford the representatives and senators ample opportunity to make up their minds definitely as to what should be done.

Chairman Green announced that the proposed income tax reductions will be made retroactive to Jan. 1, 1924, which is the beginning of the calendar year. Taxes on incomes during 1924 will be paid in 1925, returns being made March 15, 1925. Excise, or the so-called nuisance taxes on theater tickets, telegraph and telephone messages, etc., however, would become effective immediately upon the president signing the act, Chairman Green said.

OFFICIAL REPORT MADE

Operations of the Federal Prohibition Director in Ohio.

Columbus, Dec. 12.—Federal Prohibition Director J. E. Russell of Ohio, in an official report on the activities of his department, says:

"During the past two years we have prosecuted cases in almost every county in Ohio, besides making investigations of applications for permits and inspecting and checking the records of approximately 8,000 permittees. This is all incidental to the work of making 4,769 arrests, resulting in 4,184 convictions with total fines, taxes and penalties assessed of \$5,568,736.76. This encompassed the seizure of 345 automobiles and trucks engaged in the transportation of intoxicating liquor valued at \$175,000. In addition 1,117 illicit stills have been seized. Some 40 cars have been seized the past 30 days."

Judge's Life Threatened.

Cincinnati, Dec. 12.—Judge Meredith Yeatman of the municipal court, who has been waging a campaign against bootleggers, verified a report that his life had been threatened. He said he had received a number of anonymous letters promising him harm if he did not desist in his fight against moonshiners.

Neck Broken.

Caldwell, O., Dec. 12.—Charles Reed, 61, farmer, while walking to his home, misjudged a step and fell over a small embankment at the roadside. He died shortly afterwards from a fractured neck.

M. S. HERSHEY

Candyman Turns Over \$60,000,000 to Industrial School.



DOINGS IN OHIO

Damages Alleged.

Columbus, Dec. 12.—The Neil House company, through its vice president, Charles H. Garish, brought suit for \$100,000 damages in common pleas court against J. H. Gerhardt of Sunbury, Delaware county, Attorney C. S. Druggan and Richard Shafer, Columbus contractor. Company officials say the action for a receiver brought against the Neil House company was for the purpose of depressing the value of the stock of its company and not for redress, which Gerhardt claims he desires.

Strike of High School Students.

Fostoria, O., Dec. 12.—High school students who went on strike here must obtain permits through the local school board to return to school, according to a ruling announced by the board. Practically the entire student body went on strike, which was the culmination of an argument that had grown to serious proportions regarding use of the public school gymnasium by students of a parochial school.

New Klan Organized.

Cleveland, Dec. 12.—A new Cuyahoga county Ku Klux Klan is being organized in Cleveland by members of the old klan, which was suspended Dec. 3. More than 300 members of the old klan were sworn into the new organization, which is recognized by national officers. The old klan got into a row over the financial management of the order.

Retired Banker Dead.

Springfield, O., Dec. 12.—George Krapp, 90, retired banker and merchant, died at his home here after an illness of several months. For more than 20 years he was trustee of the Springfield Savings bank. Mrs. Krapp is critically ill and has not been notified of her husband's death.

Two Firemen Injured.

Dayton, O., Dec. 12.—While fighting a fire at a factory here Captain Martin Clements and Fireman Roy Snyder were seriously burned and shocked by 2,300 volts of electrical current. Both firemen were removed to a hospital, where Captain Clements is said to be in a critical condition.

Thompson Heads Committee.

Cleveland, Dec. 12.—Colonel Carmi Thompson was elected chairman of the permanent Cleveland convention committee that will have charge of all of the Cleveland convention arrangements. Representative Theodore Burton was elected honorary chairman of the committee.

Lineman Killed by Fall.

Columbus, Dec. 12.—Injuries sustained when he fell while engaged in his work proved fatal to Emmett Pierce Cather, 48, a lineman employed at the municipal light plant.

Liquor Boats Blocked.

New York, Dec. 12.—A score of liquor vessels, coming from the Bahamas and other points, have found themselves blocked, at least temporarily, from landing their supplies in quantity by the coast guard cutter, harassing landing parties afloat and dry forces snatching the liquor as soon as it touches the beaches.

Special Traffic Court Planned.

Cincinnati, Dec. 12.—The establishment of a district court for the hearing of automobile traffic violation cases probably will be in operation here soon as a result of the conference called by Mayor Carrel with other city officials and judges of the municipal court.

DEADLOCK MAY BE BROKEN SOON

Senate Republicans See the Election of Cummins.

MAY BE DONE IN TWO WAYS

Switch of Three Votes to Cummins or the Absence of Six Democrats Would Elect Him to the Chairmanship of Interstate Commerce Committee — Many Nominations Must Be Passed Upon.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Three more ballots taken in the senate failed to break the deadlock which has enabled the LaFollette insurgent group to prevent the election of Senator Cummins, choice of the Republicans, to the chairmanship of the important interstate commerce committee.

There were indications, however, that the deadlock might be broken soon and Cummins elected. This may be done in one or two ways, either by a switch of LaFollette votes to Cummins or an arrangement among the Democrats to have sufficient number on their side absent themselves from the senate to enable Cummins to gain a majority. A switch of three votes to Cummins or the absence of six Democrats would elect him to the chairmanship.

Senator Robinson, Democratic leader, denied that any members of his party will "run out" in order to enable Cummins to be elected. Leaders of the LaFollette group also asserted they will stand firm against Cummins until the regular Republicans make up their mind to force Cummins to give up either the chairmanship or the presidency pro tem.

There are a large number of presidential nominations pending before the interstate commerce committee which will have to be acted upon soon whether Cummins is made chairman or not. If Cummins takes the stand that he is entitled to sit as chairman and call the committee together to act on the nominations, a delicate situation might arise, leading to a test as to his authority to act in such a situation.

Old Guard leaders profess to be untroubled by the situation. They rest upon the senate rule which continues Cummins in the chairmanship, which he held in the last congress, until a successor is elected, and so long as they are able to have no election at all, this means that LaFollette, whom they all fear, can not win the place. The Old Guard would much prefer to have a committee without a chairman than to have LaFollette in command of the committee.

FIRE UNDER CONTROL

Hobson and Hunter Believed to Have Escaped Flames.

Los Angeles, Dec. 12.—While Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, leader of the local narcotic crusade, and Captain Jesse Hunter, head of the district attorney's office investigators, were reported to be lost in the mountains northwest of his city, where various brush fires have been raging, advices from the fire fighting zone near the Sunset and Stough canyons revealed that the disastrous blaze there has been controlled. The news of the quelling of the fire brought certain assurance to officers here that the two missing men are not in danger from the fire, although they were known to be in that vicinity. Hobson and Hunter set out to search for their two 15-year-old sons, who were returned to their homes after having been lost.

Postmaster at Mt. Vernon.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The civil service commission certified to the postmaster general as result of recent examinations the names of the following persons as eligible for appointment to postmaster at Mt. Vernon, O.: Sheridan G. Dowds, Park D. Worley and Leonard H. Kelly.

Auto Lamp Only Clew.

Cincinnati, Dec. 12.—Police are holding an auto lamp as the only clew to the auto which struck William F. Kieble, 55, resulting in his death. Police found the auto lamp at the accident scene.

Reds Purchase Carl Mays.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—The New York American league club turned Carl Mays, veteran pitcher, over to the Cincinnati National league club for \$10,000.

THE WEATHER.

Ohio—Ohio: Colder Thursday night or Friday.

BONUS FIGHT REOPENED

Bills Identical in Text to Be Introduced in Both Houses.

Washington, Dec. 12.—The fight for a soldier bonus was reopened in both houses of congress.

In the senate a bill identical in text to the measure vetoed by the late President Harding was introduced by Senator Curtis of Kansas, administration leader. President Coolidge has declared opposition to passage of a bonus bill. Senator Curtis had the bill referred to the finance committee.

On the house side the Republican members of the veterans' bloc called a caucus, at which time action will be considered looking to a demand upon the ways and means committee that the bonus measure be given priority over tax reductions and other legislation before that committee. Leaders of the bloc also announced that a plan had been agreed upon by Representative John McKenzie (Rep., Ill.) will introduce in the house the same bill as offered by Senator Curtis in the upper branch.

Charged With Murder.

Youngstown, O., Dec. 12.—Ironm Sirbu, local merchant, charged with first degree murder in connection with the slaying of Dr. S. E. Conrad, while the latter was making a raid, was bound over to the grand jury by Judge Jenkins. The court refused to reduce the charge. Vasil Bogdan, also charged with first degree murder, is still missing.

PASSING OF PINKERTON

Wealth of Secrets to Be Buried With Famous Detective.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—When William A. Pinkerton, 77, internationally known detective, is laid to rest here, there will be buried with him a wealth of secrets, which would furnish the writer of detective stories with material for a lifetime.

"The Eye," as Pinkerton was known throughout the world, never talked "shop." His death in a Los Angeles hotel closed the last chapter of a life for which publishers offer fabulous sums. But Pinkerton, his friends declared, will leave no memoirs other than those that have been woven about him during his lifetime.

Pinkerton was a son of Allan P. Pinkerton, founder of the detective agency known throughout the world. He was born in Dundee, Ill., 77 years ago, and attended Notre Dame college. During the Civil war he served under his father, who organized the secret service.

Seven Wives Threatened.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 12.—Seven wives appealed to District Attorney G. A. Shaughnessy for protection. They declared their husbands had threatened to behead them in the same manner that E. Ray Tompkins, former normal school instructor, had slain his wife. Immediate divorce was recommended to some of the women by the district attorney. The husbands were called before the official and the domestic difficulties of the couples ironed out.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.

Cattle—Top steers, \$11; bulk of sales, \$7 50@9 50; stockers and feeders, \$5 25@6 75; calves, \$9@9 50.
Hogs—Top, \$6 80; bulk of sales, \$6 50@6 75; packing sows, \$6 35@6 50; pigs, \$5 86@6 70.
Sheep and Lambs—Native spring lambs, \$11 50@13 40; ewes, \$4 75@7 50.
Receipts—Cattle, 16,000 hogs, 70,000; sheep and lambs, 20,000.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 12.

Cattle—Steers, \$4 25@9 75; heifers, \$4@7; cows, \$1 25@5 25; bulls, \$3@5 50; \$5@12.
Hogs—Yorkers, mixed and mediums, \$7; pigs and lights, \$6 50; roughs, \$5 75; stags, \$4 25.
Sheep and Lambs—Lambs, \$11@13; sheep, \$2@7.
Receipts—Cattle, 300; hogs, 4,000; sheep and lambs, 1,000.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 12.

Cattle—Steers, \$9 50@10; heifers, \$7@8; cows, \$5@6 25; calves, top, \$12 50.
Hogs—Heavies, \$7@7 15; heavy yorkers and light yorkers, \$7 15@7 20; pigs, \$7 10@7 15.
Sheep and Lambs—Top sheep, \$7 75; top lambs, \$13 25.
Receipts—Hogs, 4,000; sheep and lambs, 500.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 12.

Cattle—Steers, \$4@9 25; heifers, \$3 50@9 75; cows, \$2 50@6; calves, \$4@12.
Hogs—Heavies and packers and butchers, \$7; mediums, \$6 80; light shippers, \$6 50; fat sows, \$5@5 75; pigs, \$4 50@5 75; stags, \$4@4 75.
Sheep and Lambs—Lambs, \$4@12 75; sheep, \$1@5 50.
Receipts—Cattle, 300; hogs, 3,700; sheep and lambs, 75.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 12.

Butter—Fancy creamery, \$4@5.00; Ohio rolls, 28@30c; store packed, 25c.
Eggs—Ohio firsts, 50@52c.
Live Poultry—Young chickens, 20@25c; old hens, 20@27c; old roosters, 14@15c.
BOSTON, Dec. 12.
Wool—Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces: Delaine unwashed, 55c; fine unwashed, 48@49c; half blood combed, 55c; three-sighs blood combed, 54@55c.

TOLEDO, Dec. 12.

Wheat, \$1 10@1 11; corn, 80@81c; oats, 40@41c; cloverseed, \$13 08.

CECILE'S MASTER

By ELLIOTT R. GOLDMARK

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BANG! Bang! Bang!

"Ten, 7, 12," sang the marker, and looked with respect at the young girl in front of his firing booth in the amusement park. Not usually did solitary young women show skill such as this. The moving target of outlined ducks is baffling to the ordinary marksman.

"Ten, 7, 12—that's 29. Give you 11 if you take three more shots, lady. Only 35 in three shots and you get that fine china tea set."

Cecile Leslie shook her head. She had already spent 30 cents at the various concessions, and had only 40 cents left for lunch. A dollar doesn't go far at a seaside resort. With a determination to keep carfare and all within that limit, Cecile had started with only that amount in her purse.

"Sure you'll take it." The man leaned over the counter and, in spite of his lazy drawl, showed real interest. Several passers-by had been attracted by the fine shooting and stood watching. Cecile crimsoned with embarrassment. At that moment she

felt a tug at her wrist. Her purse was gone.

"My purse," she cried, turning hastily, her face white. The crowd closed in, opened, and then grew thicker in the manner of crowds. But a young man on the edge of the jam had already started in pursuit. Two minutes later he was back, holding by the shoulder a rough-looking little man, who quite nonchalantly drew out Cecile's gray moire bag.

"Guess you got me this time, boss," he said cheerfully.

The crowd parted and the youth who had thus acted the part of providence led his captive before the trembling girl. Cecile clutched her property and seemed about to fall.

"It's all right," the young man was starting to murmur, when a blue uniformed policeman broke through the cordon of spectators and seized the thief.

"Have to prefer charges, lady," he said. "Better come along with me now. Case won't come up now, but you'd better—"

"This lady does not wish to prefer charges, officer," spoke up Cecile's unknown protector. "You can reach me at that address."

He handed the man a card, took the girl's arm and drew her through the crowd of curious spectators.

"Now," he said, as he drew out a chair for his charge at one of the little tables near the water and sum-

moned the waiter with a gesture, "you're going to have a cup of hot coffee and then I'm going to see that you get home safely. A young girl shouldn't be out here by herself on a holiday like this."

"I assure you," he added, as the steaming drink was set before the girl, "that I'm absolutely respectable."

Cecile nodded with an answering smile. The coffee had gone to the right spot and some of the impishness which had brought her alone to the busy resort returned to her.

"I don't know about that," she replied firmly. "But I do know that I'm not going until I've been down the roller coaster a couple of times, and on the merry-go-round once, and—oh, yes, at least once on those swinging aeroplane things."

Her sparkling gaze dared him to stop her. Their eyes met, each holding the other's glance.

"You most certainly are not," the young man replied.

"For if you try," he added, as Cecile's look grew belligerent, "I shall certainly pick you up and carry you to the ferry."

Cecile drew out a puff and applied it carefully, straightened her hat and prepared elaborately to depart.

"Good afternoon, Mr. Man," she laughed. "I appreciate your prompt aid in time of need."

She nodded carelessly and turned. The youth rose slowly, took two long steps and was by her side.

"You're going to the ferry," he remarked conversationally. One hand seized her shoulder and again the eyes met. Cecile turned crimson, then pale with anger, as she realized the man would do exactly what he had said. Stiffly she turned toward the ferry landing, the unknown by her side.

On the ferry she did not address a word to the attentive squire who, with knit brows, proffered a more comfortable chair, a box of candy and a shine from the young bootblack.

In the little park on the other side she sat calmly down on one of the benches and looked up at her rescuer.

"I certainly shall not show you where I live," she began.

Then she saw that the young man's handsome face was convulsed with mirth, and suddenly the humor of the situation rushed over her. With a shout of laughter she joined him in enjoyment of the situation.

Anyone passing through the square would have thought them insane, but surely Fate smiled quietly at the thought of the future of these two thrown together thus.

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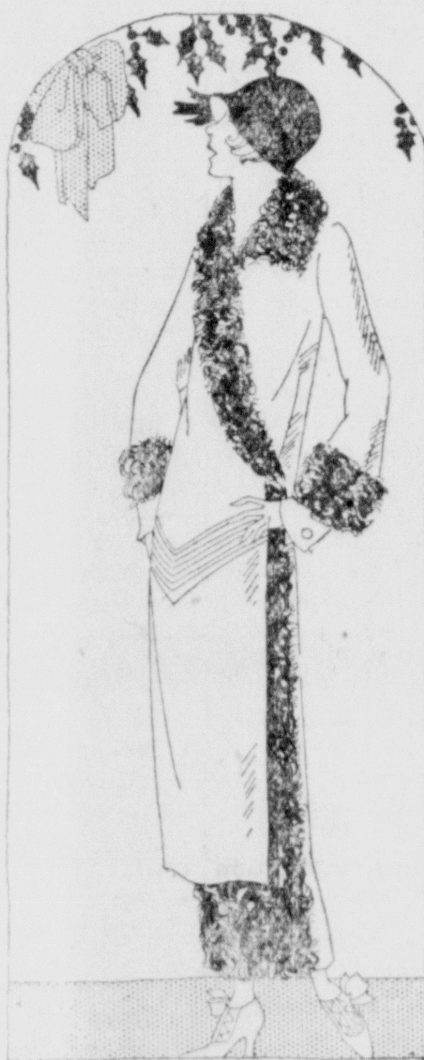
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Strictly Out of It.
Ephraim had put on a clean collar and his best coat and was walking majestically up and down the street. "Aren't you working today, Ephraim?" asked one of his acquaintances. "No, suh. I'se celebrating' my golden weddin', suh." "You were married fifty years ago today?" "Yes, suh." "Well, why isn't your wife helping you to celebrate it?" "My present wife, suh," replied Ephraim, with dignity, "ain't got nothin' to do with it. She's de fo'th." —Exchange.

Hooped Pots and Jack Cade.
In the Middle Ages in England many drinking pots were made with hoops so that when two or more persons drank from the same pot or tankard, no one of them should take more than his share, each hoop marking a half, a third or a fourth of the contents of the pot, according to its make.

Too Early.
In some of the luncheon buffets at certain stations, for the reassurance of doubting customers, it is the custom to mark on the shell of a boiled egg the date on which it was laid. On one occasion a party arrived at a station shortly before midnight and demanded eggs that were laid that day. "Sorry," answered the attendant, "today's eggs are all gone; but"—here he glanced at the clock, which pointed to a quarter to twelve—"if you'd not mind the date, I could give you some of tomorrow's."

The Loser's End.
"Seems to me," asserted the fretful man, "that we spend entirely too much time preaching success." "No harm in such a tendency, I hope." "I don't know so much about that. It gives boys lofty ideas about life. We can't all be winners." "That's all right," said the other man cheerfully. "The loser's end is often worth while."

FIGHTING FOR LEGION BILL

Congressman A. Piatt Andrew, Former Lieutenant-Colonel, One of Leaders for Compensation.

Congressman A. Piatt Andrew of Gloucester, Mass., will be one of the leaders in the American Legion's campaign to obtain the passage by congress of an adjusted compensation bill. Educated in Harvard and Princeton universities, Congressman Andrew attained a brilliant reputation as an economist. He served as director of the mint under President Taft and before he left Washington had become an assistant secretary of the treasury. With the outbreak of the World war, he became interested in the allied cause, raised a fleet of automobile ambulances and took it to the Belgian front. He drove a car for three



A. Piatt Andrew.

months, making trips to the front every night. The constant appeal Congressman Andrew made to Americans for establishment of ambulance sections resulted in the creation of the American Field Service with headquarters at Neuilly. Congressman Andrew was named in charge of the organization.

When Americans left the ambulance service to join the army, Andrew formed a number of "camion sections" to deliver ammunition. Entering the army, he received the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

Named as first commander of the Gloucester post of the American Legion, Andrew obtained permission of the city government to utilize the old town hall for a Legion home, and made it a museum of the great war. He led a movement to commemorate the war dead of Gloucester with a Joan of Arc monument, which is unique in that the base is formed of stones taken from every building in France sacred to the memory of the patriotic girl. He also served as first vice commander of the Massachusetts department in 1919-1920.

Congressman Andrew has been of vital assistance to the Legion in its fight for compensation. In defense of this measure he has said:

"The measure before the house offers to our veterans not only a just and fair, if long overdue reward, but also a reward that has been framed upon the principles of helping the beneficiaries to help themselves, which is the guiding principle of all intelligent and humane legislation."

LEGION IS AFTER PROMOTERS

Georgia Organization Now Boasts Commission to Put Lid on Fake Bouts.

Boxing and wrestling promoters who have been using the name of the American Legion posts to gain attendance for "shady" meets and bouts, will be at a disadvantage in Georgia, because of the establishment of a Legion boxing commission.

Unscrupulous promoters often induce the Legion men to stage a bout under their auspices, fighters failing to show up, or promoters milking the public of their money by fake bouts, leaving the Legion men to face deficits and an unenviable reputation in the community.

At the last department convention of the Legion, a commission was authorized to supervise all bouts held by the Legion posts in the state. This body, composed of three Legionnaires, will operate on plans similar to those established by laws in various states.

A registry fee will be charged to each boxer participating and a license exacted for each show. Boxing promoters will be required to pay annually a fee several times that charged the fighters. A representative of the commission will be present at every bout sponsored by the Legion to adjudicate contests among posts, promoters and fighters.

Oh, Those Women.

He had just returned from the prize fight and was all excited over it. "It was a great scrap, Mary," he said to his wife, "and Red Mike took the count." "Yes?" she inquired disinterestedly. "And where did he take him?" And as he gazed at her in amazement, she added: "And what became of the countess?" Then, strong man that he was, he swooned.—American Legion Weekly.

Power in Nobility.
Be noble, and it is well with you. The storms of life will not frighten you. Safe and serene, you shall wander through the paths of night, and misfortune itself can only exalt the majesty of your soul.—From Rae's "Life of Beethoven."

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The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National bank of Circleville, Ohio, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at the office of the First National bank, of Circleville, Ohio, on Tuesday, January 8, 1924, at two o'clock P. M.

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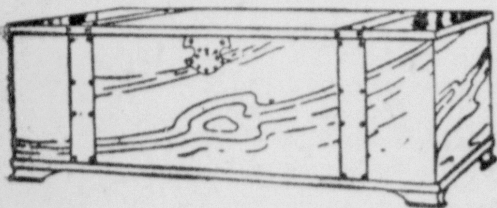
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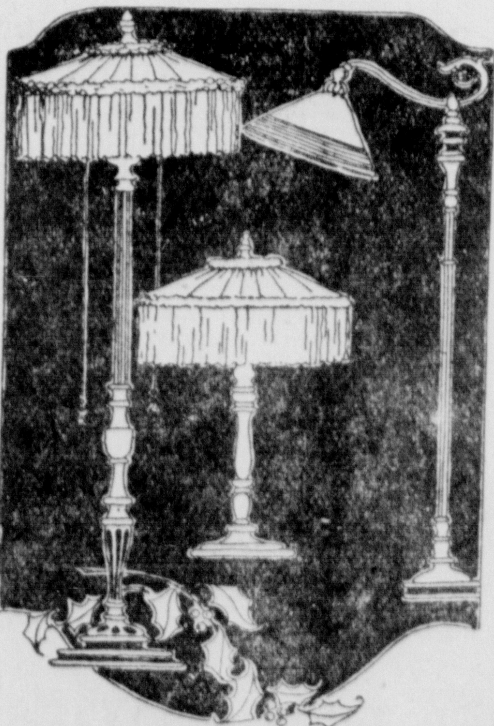
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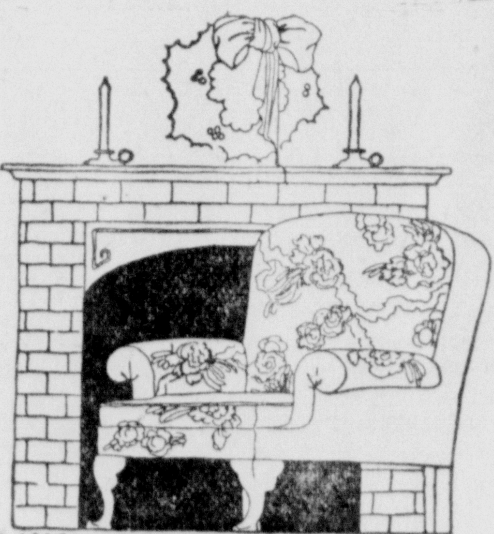
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WOMEN'S CLUB

Mrs. Claus, of Pudding Lane, Makes Visit—Good Program Rendered.

The Business and Professional Women's club held a very enthusiastic and enjoyable meeting Tuesday evening in the Post room, Memorial hall. Congratulations and Christmas greetings were sent to the club by the Chamber of Commerce, Public Library, Rotary club and Monday club and were greatly appreciated. A liberal supply of jellies was received and given to the Benevolent association for the Christmas baskets. The club presented its president, Mrs. Ida M. Graham, with a Christmas subscription to the Independent Woman. Eight new members signed the roster and this brought the business meeting to a close.

Following came an interesting program and a lunch served by Mrs. Graham. Those who took part in the program were Mrs. Ray Reid, soloist, and Misses Frances Boecher and Nellie Palm, readings. Miss Phelps gave a talk on the work of the Benevolent Association and Mrs. Graham presented a plea from Mrs. Carrie Patton, probation officers for assistance for the pensioned mothers of the county.

The advent of Mrs. Claus, of Pudding Lane, North Pole, with her faithful Judy and numerous family of dolls, carried out the Yuletide spirit. Mrs. Claus gave a very clever and witty talk on her journey from the Pole. The dolls are of the period of 1880 and will be dressed by the club in the style of that period, which was neither too long nor too short. These dolls will be for sale and will be on display in the window of Mrs. Graham's shop.

AT THE COURT HOUSE

Suit For Divorce.

Harry Shaw has filed in probate court a suit for divorce from Sophia Shaw. The couple was married at Josephville, Missouri, April 25, 1898 and are the parents of a grown daughter and son. She separated from her husband about a year ago. He charges her with gross neglect. Fred P. Griner represents the plaintiff.

Injunction Suit.

George W. Geesling has filed a suit in injunction in common pleas court against The Commercial Investment & Trust company of New York and Robert J. Young, sheriff of Pickaway county to restrain the company and the sheriff from levying and selling his property. It seems that the defendants claim that the plaintiff was a partner in a firm that owes the defendant which plaintiff denies, and they are trying to levy on his property in this county. A temporary restraining order was issued. C. A. Weldon represents the plaintiff.

Marriage License.

Bert Williamson, 39, farmer, Ross county, and Lena Downing, 32 Williamsport. Mayor H. C. Renick.

In Memoriam.

Editor Union-Herald:—William Franklin, second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Helvering, was born at Clearcreek, Fairfield county, Ohio, March 5, 1915. After a brief illness he passed away December 6, 1923, aged eight years, nine months and one day. William leaves to mourn their loss father, mother, brother, sister, great-grandparents and a host of other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held at Brown's chapel, Saturday, December 8.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors and pastor for their kindness during our bereavement in the loss of our beloved son.

The Parents.

Gold Didn't Materialize.

A Chicago inventor named Brice. In 1897, was seeking a patent on a process for making gold from a mixture of antimony, iron and sulphur. The patent office would not grant it without proof that the idea had merit, and the then secretary of the treasury was persuaded to direct the mint bureau to try the thing out. There must have been something wrong about the methods of the treasury laboratory, for not a particle of gold or silver was obtained.

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Record price for Ford Storage Battery.

Detroit, Michigan. All Ford dealers are instructed to put into effect immediately a reduced price of \$16.50 for the Ford 13 plate storage battery. This battery can be used in any of the automobiles using a six volt battery and this price is phenomenal in storage battery manufacture and is due no doubt to quantity production.

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EYE ON MEXICO

Europe to Urge American Intervention If Rebels Win.

Paris, Dec. 12.—Pressure will be brought by Europe on the United States to intervene in Mexico if the revolution gains the upper hand, according to private diplomatic advices. French officials recall that they granted recognition to the Obregon government because they wished to consolidate America's action in recognizing Mexico. But France will refuse to recognize any government overthrowing President Obregon by force. Britain and France are watching the situation anxiously. The greatest part of Mexico's funds for railway bonds have been raised in London and Paris for 15 years, and the holders have not drawn dividends.

Prisoners Spirited Away.

Macon, Ga., Dec. 12.—T. J. Kersey, police chief at Hazlehurst, Ga., was shot and killed when he attempted to arrest Warren Waters, wanted by Hazlehurst authorities for breaking a prison parole. Bob Johnson and James Cope were said to have been with Waters when the police officer fell with two bullet wounds. The three men were arrested and later spirited away by the officials to avert an attack by a mob.

Kellogg Nomination Confirmed.

Washington, Dec. 12.—By a vote of 75 to 9, the senate, in executive session, passed favorably upon the nomination of former Senator Kellogg to be ambassador to England. The fight against Kellogg was led by Senators Magnus Johnson and Henrik Shipstead, Farmer-Laborites from Minnesota, Kellogg's home state.

Highly-Prized Coin.

The half cent of 1796 is the rarest of all United States copper coins. According to a treatise on these obsolete coins recently published by a Chicago numismatist, the half cent of 1796, in exemplary condition, has brought as much as \$400 at a public auction sale.

AMUSEMENTS

Undoubtedly the greatest picture in which Jackie Coogan has been permitted to use his remarkable genius is Metro's "Long Live the King," now the feature at the Met theater. Last night its premier in this city was attended by a great and appreciative audience which thru the evening continued to give ample evidence of the tremendous popularity which Jackie now has at his command. In fairness to him it is such beautiful and impressive productions as "Long Live the King" that enhance his popularity and make him more beloved.



JACKIE COOGAN

The story of "Long Live the King" is a familiar one to readers of American books. It is a screen version of the famous novel of the same name written several years ago by Mary Roberts Rinehart and which attained a tremendous sale. It hinges around the romantic adventures of the little Crown Prince of Lavonia—a country threatened at every turn by revolution and anarchy. It is a highly exciting romance and the producers have not only lost none of the fascination of the novel, but have added to its delight by giving it a wonderfully beautiful presentation.

Jackie is surrounded by a splendid cast. C. Gardner Sullivan and Eve Unsell prepared the script for Jackie and the picture was directed by brilliant Victor Scharitinger. The are direction of J. J. Hughes shows genius in artistic conceptions. Frank Good and Robt Martin were at the camera and the picture was produced under the direction of Jack Coogan Sr.

ELKS LODGE

Fifteen Candidates Initiated—Oyster Supper Served to Two Hundred.

Circleville Order of Elks initiated one of the largest classes they have had this year when Tuesday evening fifteen candidates were given the Royal Diadem degree and are now carrying the antlers.

The lodge was inspected by District Deputy Meyer, of Columbus. Following the initiation and inspection, the guests were regaled with a fried oyster supper and all the trimmings. Covers were laid for two hundred guests. Lancaster, Newark and Columbus were represented at the feast and initiation.

The district deputy reports Circleville lodge in fine condition.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

Mrs. Wilson F. Celler attended a reception given by Mrs. E. J. Richardson at Westerville today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rudisill delightfully entertained to a handsomely appointed dinner Sunday, December 9, at their beautiful country home in Pickaway township. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. John E. Dresbach and daughters, Mary and Maxine, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. George and Mrs. Lina Dresbach, of Pickaway township and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Karshner and daughter, Mary, of Tarlton. A pleasant time was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. John Eitel of 517 North Pickaway street, entertained to dinner Sunday the following: Mr. and Mrs. George Eitel and sons, Walter and George Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Young and children, Nellie, Theodore, Harold and Bernard, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eecord and children, Ruth and Walter Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Eitel and daughter, Eleanor, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bumgarner, Mrs. O. E. Bumgarner and granddaughters, Grace and Mary, John Eitel, Austin Hoover and Charles Eitel and Mrs. John Eitel.

December 19, the December meeting of the Darbyville W. C. T. U. will be held with Mrs. Joseph McKinley at 1:30 o'clock; program, Social and Personal Purity, also paper on National W. C. T. U. Foundation Day celebrated at Cleveland November 18. We hope every member will be present and welcome visitors.

Pacific Coast Squabble Settled. Chicago, Dec. 12.—Harry Williams was recognized as the president of the Pacific Coast league by the board of arbitration trying the feud between Williams and McCarthy. William Wrigley, Jr., owner of the Cubs, was reprimanded for attempting to syndicate baseball in connection with his alleged purchase of the Seattle club, over which the feud started.

Boy Dies of Injuries.

Cleveland, Dec. 12.—Martin Marn, 14, died from injuries suffered when the auto in which the boy was riding was crowded into another machine. The autoist that caused the accident fled.

HERE AND THERE

Dr. Robert Adcox, retired physician, alleged to have been involved in the fake medical diploma mill expose in Missouri, Connecticut, Arkansas and other states, was indicted by a grand jury at St. Louis on charges of bribery.

Two enormous geysers within the crater of Kilauea volcano, Hawaii, are spouting about 2,000,000 cubic feet of molten lava every hour.

Four convicts escaped from the Kansas state prison at Lansing by scaling the walls.

Two women and three men, alleged by federal operatives to be members of a band of counterfeiters that passed more than \$100,000 in spurious currency in Chicago and vicinity in the last few weeks, were arrested at Chicago.

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E. L. Hoffman, manager of the Pickaway Live Stock company spent Monday, December 10, at the Pittsburg live stock yards, selling five car loads of cattle and hogs. During the previous week the live stock company shipped eleven car loads of cattle and hogs to market, making the largest record for any one week since the cooperative shipping of live stock started. Shipments were made from Derby, Mt. Sterling, Atlanta, Kinderhook and Circleville.

A total of 370,000 pounds of live stock were shipped cooperatively during the month of November.

NEW MYKANTZ MANAGER.

M. L. Plummer, of Sardinia, has been selected to take charge of the Mykantz drug store in this city. The former manager, Merritt Dennis, was transferred to Springfield.

Mr. Plummer has been in the drug business twenty-eight years and has been a registered pharmacist twenty-two years. He formerly conducted a drug store at Winchester and later at Sardinia. He is married and has one son.

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Women From Nine Townships Met at Farm Bureau Demonstration.

Women from nine townships of Pickaway county were present at a demonstration at the Farm Bureau office given by Edna Callahan, clothing specialist from the extension department of the Ohio State university. The first part of their work consisted of the making of a one piece cotton dress. The women who are taking this work will in turn hold classes in their townships for the benefit of others who are interested.

MRS. COLEMAN DEAD.

Mrs. John Coleman, who was injured in the gas explosion which wrecked a four family apartment house at 886 North Fourth street Columbus, last Friday afternoon, died Tuesday morning at 5:15 o'clock at the University hospital, as a result of her injuries.

Mrs. Coleman is survived by a daughter, Donna, two years of age. The deceased was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Fred Martin, of this city.

PARENT-TEACHER MEETING.

The Parent-Teacher association of the high school will meet Thursday evening at the high school auditorium at 7 o'clock. Watch paper for program.

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GOOD MEETINGS

HEART FAILURE

W. C. T. U.

Revival Services Being Held at Church of Brethren. The evangelistic meetings at the Church of the Brethren are being well attended. Rev. Fidler is giving us some wonderful messages. The following are some subjects that will yet be used. The church is on the corner of Pickaway and Logan streets. Subject Wednesday night, at 7:30: "A Total Eclipse in Hill's Auditorium." Thursday and Friday nights two of the following subjects: "Is the World Getting Better or Worse?" "Sin Against the Holy Ghost." "The Most Startling Question Ever Met the Bars of Man." "Kadesh Barnea."

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Caused Death of George W. Weaver at St. Francis Hospital, Columbus. George W. Weaver, formerly of this city died Saturday evening, December 8, at St. Francis hospital, Columbus. His death was due to dropsy and heart failure. The deceased was a son of George W. and Catharine Hawks Weaver and was born in this city June 2, 1862. Two sisters and one brother survive. They are Mrs. W. H. P. Fisher, of Landsdowne, Pennsylvania; Mrs. H. W. Thomas of San Diego, California, and Boston F. Weaver, of Baltimore, Maryland.

The remains were brought to this city today and were interred in Forest cemetery. The commitment services were in charge of Circleville aerie, No. 685, Fraternal order of Eagles.

PERSONALS

J. R. Wilson was a business visitor in Columbus today. Mrs. L. E. Hill and Miss Rose Leist spent the day in Columbus. Mrs. Arthur Burget and Mrs. George S. Dresbach spent the day in Columbus. Mrs. Edward Shanton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Niles, J. R. Wilson, H. E. Mowery, R. M. Pierce and A. J. Thorpe were business visitors in Columbus today. Miss Mary Dawson, a student at the Columbus Business college Columbus, accompanied home Mrs. Charles Goeller, who has been visiting in Detroit, Michigan. Mrs. Minnie Debolt, Miss Mary Lat house, Mrs. C. D. Closson, Mrs. S. T. Rife, Misses Abbe Clarke, Mrs. G. E. Thornton, Miss Sarah Lynch and Mrs. Ernest May spent the day in Columbus. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wright and daughter, Miss Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Clara Hanley Miss Hazel Dumm and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dumm of near Haysville and Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Grove of Ashville, attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Samuel Houdysheill, at Logan Tuesday.

NOTICE OF BOND SALE. Proposals will be received at the office of J. R. Noecker, as Clerk of the Board of Education of Circleville City (Postoffice address, Circleville, Ohio) School District, Pickaway County, Ohio until twelve o'clock noon, Thursday, January 3, 1924 for the purchase of serial bonds of said Circleville City School District in the sum of Fifteen Thousand Two Hundred Forty Four Dollars and Fifty Three cents (\$15,244.53) dated December first, 1923, the maximum maturity of said bonds being seven (7) years and (8) months. Said bonds are numbered consecutively from one (1) to sixteen (16) inclusive. Bonds Nos. one (1) to fifteen inclusive (15) are each in the denomination of One Thousand Dollars (\$1000.00) and Bond No. sixteen (16) is of the denomination of \$244.53. Said bonds shall become due and payable as follows: Bond No. 1, February 1st, 1924. Bond No. 2, August 1st, 1924. Bond No. 3, February 1st, 1925. Bond No. 4, August 1st, 1925. Bond No. 5, February 1st, 1926. Bond No. 6, August 1st, 1926. Bond No. 7, February 1st, 1927. Bond No. 8, August 1st, 1927. Bond No. 9, February 1st, 1928. Bond No. 10, August 1st, 1928. Bond No. 11, February 1st, 1929. Bond No. 12, August 1st, 1929. Bond No. 13, February 1st, 1930. Bond No. 14, August 1st, 1930. Bond No. 15, February 1st, 1931. Bond No. 16, of the value of \$244.53, August 1st, 1931. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five and one half per cent per annum (5½%) payable semi-annually on the last days of February and August of each year, commencing February 1st, 1924, as evidenced by attached coupons. Said bonds are issued under the authority of House Bill No. 599, passed April 6, 1923, effective July 26, 1923, amending Section 5655 and repealing Section 5656 of the General Code and other Sections of the G. C. of Ohio, and also of Resolution passed by the Board of Education of said Circleville, Ohio, City School District on the 7th day of September, 1923. Said bonds will be sold to the highest bidder for not less than par and accrued interest, but the Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids. All bids must be sealed and state the number of bonds bid for, gross amount of premium and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in not less than two per cent (2%) on some solvent bank payable to the said Circleville City School District, Pickaway County, Ohio, on condition that if the bid is accepted, the bidder will pay for such bonds bid for said check to be taken by said board if said bid is accepted, as a guarantee of the bidder complying with the terms of said sale; otherwise the check to be returned to the bidder. By order of the Board of Education of Circleville City School District, Pickaway County, Ohio. J. R. NOECKER, Clerk. 13decw3.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING. A meeting of the stockholders of The Grand Opera House Company will be held at the office of said Company on January 3, 1924, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering a resolution of the dissolution of said corporation and the surrender of its corporate authority and franchises. Circleville, Ohio, December 10, 1923. WALKER BAUGHMAN, IDA BAUGHMAN, JAMES BAUGHMAN, EDNA COOPER, FROCTOR BAUGHMAN Directors. 13decw4.

Of Darbyville Union Met With Mrs. Cliff Carpenter and Mrs. John J. Renick. The November meeting of the Darbyville W. C. T. U. was held with Mrs. Cliff Carpenter, Mrs. John Renick assisting hostess. The members were indeed glad to welcome so many visitors and tried to get them to become members.

The program was "Prohibition" and several good papers were read and enjoyed and our president brought the Union Signals so the members could see the picture of the crusaders at the great national meeting in September; also the pictures of the early work of the crusaders when they went bravely to the saloons to sing and pray and plead with them not to continue to sell alcohol, because of the harm to the many who had an appetite for strong drink, also other pictures of interest. We voted to use a part of our prize money to buy jubilee song books for our Union and posters and literature for our schools.

Mrs. Carpenter and Mrs. Renick served refreshments.

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL. A double header basket ball game Friday evening, December 14, at 7:30 o'clock. Opening game of the season. Mt. Sterling Boys and Frankfort girls. Admission 15 and 25 cents. 12dec43.

Don't forget the market of the American Legion Saturday at the Smith meat market. 12dec43.

DOLL SPECIAL. Real kid body length 15 inches bisque head, goes to sleep\$1.98 Mamma Dolls 98c Also a complete line of famous Effanbee dolls. HAMILTON'S STORE. 12dec4w1.

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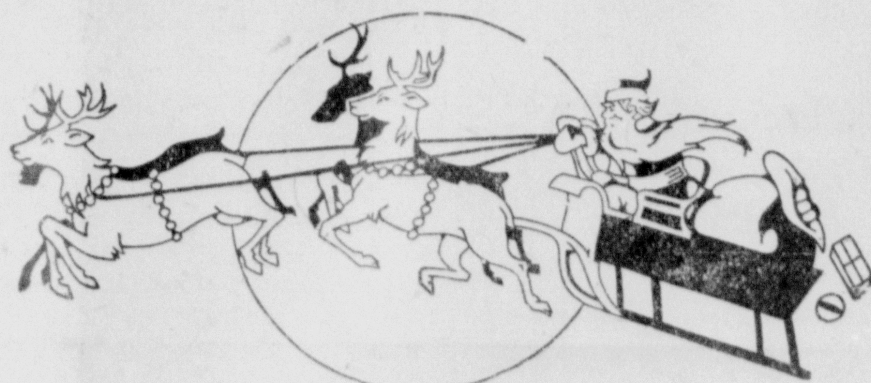
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The finest assortment we could find. Prices are as follows: Silk Four-in-Hand in fancy boxes - - - 75c to \$4.00 Silk Knitted Four-in-Hand in fancy boxes - 50c to \$4.00 Fancy Shield Tucks Four-in-Hand, in fancy boxes 50c to \$1.00 Bows, all styles - - - 25c to 50c Club Ties - - - 50 to \$1.00

Underwear

In union or two piece, in Wool or Cotton and at all prices.

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We have a fine line of Swiss Silk; also a fine line of Wool. Made in Scotland and the finest made.

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A fine line of Wool; also Silk and Wool and All Silk; also a good line of Lisle.

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How Superstitions Arose.
The Friday superstition arose because the crucifixion is supposed to have taken place on that day. Some persons think it is unlucky to spill salt, because Judas Iscariot seems to be spilling it in Da Vinci's picture. Others think that it is because salt is a symbol of incorruptibility, and spilling it is, therefore, a sign of broken friendships and general upsets.

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LEGAL NOTICE
There will be a meeting of the stock holders of the Pythian Castle Association company at the K. of P. hall in the city of Circleville, Ohio, on
Monday, January 7, 1924,
at 8:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year.
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Tankage 60%	3 75	70 00
Meat Scraps	4 50	85 00
Scratch Feed	2 75	53 00
Cracked Corn	2 50	48 00
Oyster Shell	1 50	25 00
Oil Meal	3 25	
Screenings	1 25	
Hay	1 25	
Straw, per bale	65	
Corn, per bushel	80	
Rydes Calf Meal 25 lb....	1 25	
Pomeroy Salt, per bbl....	3 00	
Pomeroy Salt, 100 lb. bag	1 00	

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In Memoriam.
Editor Union-Herald:—Charles Morris McClelland, son of Alexander and Minerva Spangler McClelland was born near South Perry, Ohio, March 8, 1856, and departed this life at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Friend, near Troy, Ohio, December 2, 1923, aged 67 years, eight months and 24 days.

He was united in marriage December 25, 1877, to Lenora Hedges. To this union were born seven children, five daughters; Mrs. James Friend, of Troy; Mrs. Earl Bardon, of Detroit, Michigan; Mrs. Daniel Pike of Delaware, Ohio; Mrs. Flora White, of near Circleville and Earl Mildred and two sons, Homer, who was called away November 5, 1911, at the age of 15 years and Claude Vernon, who with the sister, Earl Mildred and his companion have preceded him to the Great Beyond several years.

He leaves to mourn their loss four daughters one step-son, four grandchildren and one sister Mrs. Susannah McDowell, of Columbus.

The deceased was the youngest of a family of eight children. Six brothers, all deceased, and one sister, Mrs. McDowell the last surviving member of the noted and once useful family.

The greater part of his life was spent in Pickaway county but as his declining years were coming on, he made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Daniel Pike of Delaware.

He had recently gone to visit his daughter, Mrs. James Friend, of Troy. He had frequently expressed himself to the writer of the importance of being prepared for the time when he shall be called away, of his trying to be ready for that call to the home beyond; "Therefore, he ye also ready for such an hour as ye think not the Son of Man cometh."

Funeral services were conducted on Monday evening from the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Friend, of Troy. On the following Tuesday at 7 a. m., the bereaved children accompanied the body to Bethany cemetery, east of Turlington, where it was laid to rest by the side of his wife and children.

The trip was made with the funeral car and automobiles, covering a distance of more than 100 miles, arriving at their destination early in the afternoon.

Those present at the burial were Mr. and Mrs. James Friend, of Troy; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Pike, Delaware; Mrs. Earl Bardon, Detroit, Michigan; Mrs. Susannah McDowell, Mr. John McDowell, Mrs. George Volkwein, Mrs. Fred Lewis and Mrs. Mary Bates, of Columbus; and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Armstrong of Lancaster.

TOY TRACTOR AND PLOW FREE.
These toy tractors and plows are just the thing for a present to little boys. \$1.50 pays for the Dearborn Independent, Henry Ford's magazine, for one year and the tractor and plow are free with each subscription.
R. L. BREHMER.
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POULTRY EXPERTS IN CITY.
Mrs. Harriet Dodson and Mrs. Elizabeth Latimer will be in Circleville for some time, making a survey of the poultry raisers in this vicinity. These ladies have made a special study of poultry culture and are prepared to help poultry raisers on such problems as culling, breeding of moulting hens, in fact all your poultry problems.
While here they will call on all poultry raisers to take up these important problems.
Thru the efforts of the Circleville Produce company it has been made possible for the poultry keepers to get the benefit of the experience of these experts.
They will give a special demonstration on culling poultry Saturday afternoon, December 15, at our store, 152 West Main street. Come and learn to cull your own flocks.
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STOUTSVILLE MILL.
If you want good flour for bread bring your grist and come to the mill and get thirty-eight pounds of flour to the bushel or buy it from your grocers handled by nearly all the groceries in Circleville and country stores. Milled by J. E. Poynter, who made the Laurelville Special for years and as good a miller as there is in central Ohio. Flour tested by the Mid West laboratory, Columbus, and found first class in every respect. Bran and middlings and chop feed in reasonable amounts to farmer and dealers at all times; buyer of grains of all kind and hay and straw. Prices made to meet competition.
WALTER J. GOODMAN.
29novw4d.

Odd Sort of Music.
The musical range of a dripping tap is about half an octave. But within the bounds of this major fourth, drops can play the most surprising and varied melodies. You will hear them climbing laboriously up small degrees of sound, only to descend at a single leap to the bottom. More often they wander unaccountably about in varying intervals, familiar or disconcertingly odd. And with the varying pitch the time also varies, but within narrower limits. For the laws of hydrostatics, or whatever other science claims authority over drops, do not allow the dribblings much license either to pause or to quicken the pace of their falling. It is an odd sort of music. One listens to it as one lies in bed, slipping gradually into sleep, with a curious, uneasy emotion.—Aldous Huxley, in "On the Margin."

Maintenance of way and bridge and building employees of Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad have requested wage increases from 11 to 15 cents an hour.

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Encourage your Children in thrift by
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each of them--and of course you must
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Increase each weekly payment
2c and receive in 50 weeks - - - \$25.50
CLASS 3—First week 5c, second week 10c.
Increase each weekly payment
5c and receive in 50 weeks - - - \$63.75
CLASS 4—First week \$2.50, second \$2.45.
Decrease each weekly payment
5c and receive in 50 weeks - - - \$63.75
CLASS 25—Pay 25c straight each
week for 50 weeks and receive - - \$12.50
CLASS 50—Pay 50c straight each
week for 50 weeks and receive - - \$25.00
CLASS 100—Pay \$1 straight each
week for 50 weeks and receive - - \$50.00
CLASS 200—Pay \$2 straight each
week for 50 weeks and receive - - \$100.00
CLASS 500—Pay \$5 straight each
week for 50 weeks and receive - - \$250.00
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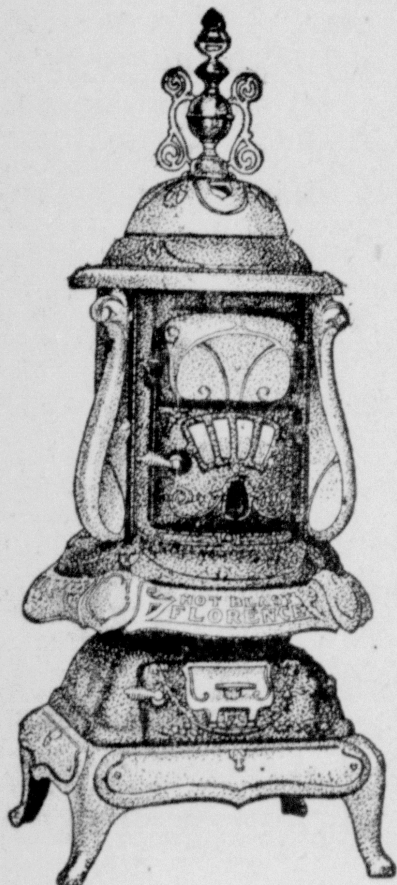
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All features are patented and no stove manufacturer, dealer or user can copy or use same until

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THE HOT BLAST AIR-TIGHT FLORENCE burns soft coal or slack and all the smoke and gases. No filling up of the stove, pipe or flue with soot. No dirt inside or outside the house. It will burn hard coal and all the gases which escape from the hard coal base burner. It will burn wood and sawdust, wet or dry. It will produce one-half less ashes than any other stove on earth with any kind of fuel and leave no clinkers or half consumed fuel.

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RAT-MITES ATTACK MAN IN SOUTHERN STATES

Outbreaks of Pest Coincident
With Presence of Rodents.

Washington.—Bites from a mite, a known parasite of rats, have proved an annoyance to a great many people in the South. The trouble has been particularly prevalent in certain localities in Texas and Mississippi. In some instances it has been acute, causing the expenditure of much time and money in efforts to combat it, and in certain cases compelling the abandonment of parts of buildings.

Outbreaks of this pest, it has been observed, are coincident with the presence of many rats, and the repression of the mite appears to be essentially a problem in rat control. Department Circular 294, "The Rat Mite Attacking Man," by F. C. Bishopp, entomologist, recently issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, deals with the life history and habits of the mite and the character of its attack on man. It has not yet been shown that the mites carry disease, but their bites are distinctly painful and annoying. Both nymphs and adults attack man freely, crawling and running about over the body, and biting here and there, especially on the upper arms, legs, and around the belt or in other places where there is some constriction of clothing.

In addition to a continuous and energetic warfare against rats, the bulletin recommends the cleaning out of all debris and nests and a thorough spraying with kerosene. On floors a mixture of 1 part anthracene oil with 2 parts kerosene has been used with success to destroy and repel mites for several days. A fine mist spray of gasoline on cabinets, desks and shelves gives temporary relief. Fumigation with hydrocyanic gas is also recommended if done by an expert.

Fresno Has Smallest National Park in World



The smallest national park in the world is located at Fresno, Cal. It is just 36 square feet in area, and one tree that covers the entire roadway is there.

Eels Clog Up Water Pipes in New London

New London, Conn.—Superintendent Watters and his water department employees went eeling at one o'clock in the morning recently and they got enough to supply a regiment.

From various places in Main, Bank and State streets eels were found packed together in water pipes and traps.

"No water!" was the cry heard on all sides. At each place, instead of water, eels were found in abundance. Fire plugs about the city were flushed and hundreds of eels were ejected into the streets.

Superintendent Watters said that it is strange how they suddenly decided to stop up the water mains. Instead of an eel parking here and there they seemed to march onward in a phalanx and to descend in thousands all about the same time.

Neither does he know of any way to prevent it. A quarter-inch mesh at the reservoir is designed to keep eels and other fish from the mains. Eels get through the mesh when they are small, and when once inside they thrive and grow so large that they cannot get back. When the faucet is opened and the pressure starts the eels are thrust up against the water meters.

Scotch "Bookie" Takes in \$25,000 Each Day

London.—Betting among the thrifty Scotchmen is done on a scale that has shocked members of the house of commons, men who are accustomed to deal with millions of pounds of the government's money every year.

A Glasgow bookmaker admitted to the house committee on betting, appointed to investigate the possibilities of the government placing a tax on horse race betting, that he took in an average of \$25,000 a day, or more than \$8,000,000 a year in bets. This particular bookmaker operates a credit account system in established offices, and his business comes within the law.

Hotel Clerk Wills Big Sum to Fellow Workers

New York.—Arthur H. Fowler, for twenty years clerk and bookkeeper in the Hotel Waldorf-Astoria drug store, died recently and when his will was read it was found that he had left an estate of \$40,000 to forty of his fellow employees.

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Order your Christmas turkeys now from the Circleville Produce Co., 162 West Main street.

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EXECUTOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

Tuesday, December 18, 1923
AT
1 P. M. at Court House
Circleville, Ohio.

The undersigned, as executor of the estate of Jesse Y. Wilson, deceased, will offer two farms belonging to the estate of said decedent pursuant to the will and to close said estate.

First Tract.

The first tract contains 196 acres and 103 poles, more or less, and is situated two and one-half miles north of Darbyville on the Darbyville and Commercial Point (Genoa road). The soil is excellent and under good state of cultivation, is well tiled and fences good. There is a six room, frame residence, a large barn capable of accommodating 100 head of cattle, 18 head of horses, 18 cows, and a large silo in the center of the barn with a capacity of 400 tons of ensilage.

There is also provision for housing 15 brood sows and mow room for 200 tons of hay and there are three hay carrier tracks in the mow. There is also a smokehouse, coal house, wood house, cow barn, corn cribs, wagon shed and implement shed; also three wind pumps and a tenant house. The land is situate in Muhlenberg and Scioto townships, Pickaway county, Ohio, and is one of the best improved farms in the county.

Second Tract

The second tract contains 58 acres and is situate in Scioto township, Pickaway county, Ohio, 3 1/2 miles north of Darbyville, on the Darbyville and Commercial Point pike. This land is well tiled and well fenced but without buildings; the soil is excellent.

The above lands will be offered separately and then as a whole and sold so as to realize the most money.

Possession given March 1, 1924. Purchaser to take the landlord's share of the wheat crop and to pay taxes due June 20, 1924 and all thereafter.

TERMS:—One-third in cash, one-third in one and one-third in two years from day of sale, deferred payments to be secured by first mortgage on premises sold and to bear interest from day of sale.

For further particulars, see

S. C. Weldinger,

As Executor of the estate of Jesse Y. Wilson, Deceased, Bridge Street, Chillicothe, Ohio.
Barton Walters, Attorney at Law, Circleville, Ohio.
6decdf&wtf.

Bah!
When a woman pulls the wool over a man's eyes you can hardly blame him if he looks sheepish.—Cartoons Magazine.

Gain Living From the Sea.
The Japanese are the only people who have ever undertaken the systematic planting and harvesting of seaweed and other marine vegetation.

WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

Due January 1, 1924. May be Redeemed by Depositing Them Here Now. No Red Tape. Mail Them To Us.

We will accept these stamps now, for immediate credit to you. We allow you full face value and then hold them at our expense until the due date. This gives you double interest January 1st.

This saves you time, trouble and government red tape. You obtain immediately a safe reinvestment of your funds at a higher rate and in a more desirable form.

We also solicit you to deposit with us the proceeds of your Treasury Savings Certificates due January 1st. We supply information cheerfully and invite inquiries.

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A Paramount Picture

TOYS! TOYS!

Coaster wagons, velocipedes, kiddie cars, dolls, doll carriages, story books, games, tree ornaments, trains on track, mechanical toys, tea sets, chairs, etc., etc. We urge an early selection as Christmas will soon be here.

HAMILTON'S STORE.

12decdw1.

AUTOS COLLIDED.

Professor O. O. Crawford's Ford limousine and one of the trucks of the Joseph Amicon Fruit and Provision company were embraced at the alley west of Edison street on Pinkney Tuesday evening. The front axle and the radius rod of the Ford product were bent and the fenders of the truck were bent up some.

SEED CORN

A Little Care Now May Save Much Trouble and Expense Later.

Corn in the Scioto Valley is this year exceptionally high in moisture and this being kept at a high moisture content by recent rains. In case of a freeze before the corn is thoroughly dried out the germ will probably be killed and much trouble will be found in securing good seed next spring.

Farmers of Pickaway county are urged to see that a sufficient amount of corn for seed is put in a place where it can dry out properly and be safe from a freezing spell. A little time spent in looking after the seed corn at once may save considerable bother next spring.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

At the meeting of the Woman's auxiliary of the American Legion held Monday evening the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Amos C. Wilson; first vice president, Mrs. Ina Smith; second vice president, Mrs. Harry G. Stevenson; treasurer, Mrs. Nell Prose; secretary, Mrs. Anna Betz; chaplain, Mrs. Charles S. Gushman; hospital chairman, Mrs. B. F. Yates; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Hazel Alkire.

MRS. EMMETT MORRIS HURT.

Mrs. Emmett Morris was overcome at the office of Prosecuting Attorney Terwilliger Tuesday afternoon while the latter was attending court. When she fell her head struck the corner of a table, cutting a deep gash over the left eye. She was discovered by E. L. Voll, whose tailor shop is across the hall, and Dr. H. D. Jackson was called and attended to her injuries.

MASTER MASONS.

There will be a special communication of Pickaway lodge of Masons Wednesday evening, December 12, at 7 o'clock. Work in the Master Mason degree. The brethren are urged to be present. 11decdw2.

"NIGHT RIDERS"

A play entitled "Night Riders" will be given at the Tarlton community house Thursday evening, December 13 at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody welcome. Admission 15 and 25 cents. 11decdw3.



IT is a rather serious matter for a person who feels the need of glasses to put off from day to day visiting an optometric specialist who will prescribe correctly for them. We can tell all about your eye wants after a thorough investigation and can assure you that the lenses we will furnish you will exactly meet your visual requirements. Now don't hesitate—Come in and see us.

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JAMES DOWNS

Lifeless Body of Prominent Farmer Found in His Barn.

The death of James Downs in a barn at his home in Monroe township last Sunday is shrouded in mystery as he seemed to be in good spirits when he ate dinner with his family at noon. After partaking of his noonday repast he told his wife that he was going out to the barn where he had some work to perform. Remaining longer than usual she sent one of the farm hands out to see what detained him. The farm hand, Mr. Bailey, found his employer's shoes and hat on the floor of the barn and later found the dead body of Mr. Downs dangling from the end of a rope tied to a rafter.

Coroner Dunton, of this city, was notified and he telephoned to Nelson Winfough, justice of the peace of Monroe township to view the body and make report. Why Mr. Downs committed the rash deed is unknown. He was a man of jovial disposition and happiness reigned in his home. He was a good farmer and business man. About three weeks ago he was in this city and closed the deal for the purchase of the Longberry farm and he recently sold a farm and made some money in the deal.

Mr. Downs was 69 years of age and is survived by his wife, one son, Chauncey Downs, of Columbus and two daughters, Miss Emma Downs and Louise, wife of John Bailey, who reside near Mt. Sterling.

Of his immediate family four brothers are living. They are George and Charles Downs of near Five Points and Harley and Milt Downs, of near Mt. Sterling.

The funeral services were held from his late home three miles south of Mt. Sterling, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment was in the Darbyville cemetery.

FANCY GOODS.

The stock of crochet, tatting and other fancy goods made by Mrs. A. J. Lyle, Mrs. Fred Donnelly and Mrs. H. O. Pile, which they are showing and offering for sale has been removed to a more central location, the Gussman Cleaning and Dyeing establishment, 124 South Court street.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

The following letters remained uncalled for in the Circleville, O., post office for the week ending Monday, 10, 1923.

Male

Jacobs, Samuel.
Poling, Charles.
Sesher, Lamernce.
Harrison, Gilbert.

Female

Hardy, Ruth.
Peabody, Luetta.

In calling for the above letters applicants are requested to ask for date of this list.

Eight dozen barrettes, each different in coloring and setting; 60c up. SENSENBRENNER'S "Watch Shop" 19novdw1.

DOLL CARRIAGES.

Don't fail to see our line of Reed and Woven Fiber carriages, latest styles and priced from \$3.29 to \$11.75, also English carriages from 98c to \$4.98 that formerly sold at much higher prices; a large assortment to select from.

HAMILTON'S STORE.

12decdw1.

GIFT WATCHES

When other Gifts are forgotten, those who are remembered with a Watch on Christmas Day are receiving daily use and pleasure from their gift.

So why not plan now to give those really dear to you a Watch selected from our splendid showing?

T. K. BRUNNER & SON

"THE GIFT SHOP"

Business Meeting of the

Parent-Teachers' Association.

A business meeting of the Parent-Teacher association will be held in the high school auditorium on Thursday evening, December 13, at 7 o'clock.

Part of the program will be a play put on by the High School Literary society. The music will be furnished by the High School orchestra. All who are interested in the high school pupils and their work are invited to attend.

No admission will be charged or no collection taken. Come. 12decdw2.

DIES IN HOSPITAL.

Miss Ollie E. Tootle died at Grant hospital, Columbus, Monday, aged 52 years. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Milton Tootle of near Mt. Sterling. Two brothers, James M. Tootle and Samuel C. Tootle, of near Mt. Sterling, and two sisters, Minnie, wife of James Hatfield and Miss Rhoda Tootle, survive.

The funeral services will be held at Mt. Sterling Thursday at 1 o'clock.

Don't forget the market of the American Legion Saturday at the Smith meat market. 12decdw3.

Do not confuse the Red Cross with Anti-Tuberculosis Christmas Seal sale during December.

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DECEMBER 13

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33 x 4 1/2	Straight Side	-	-	\$31.50
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